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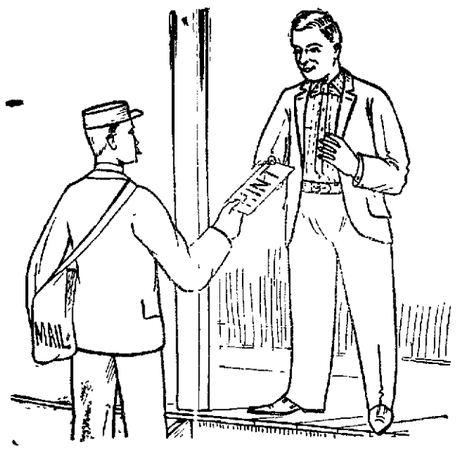

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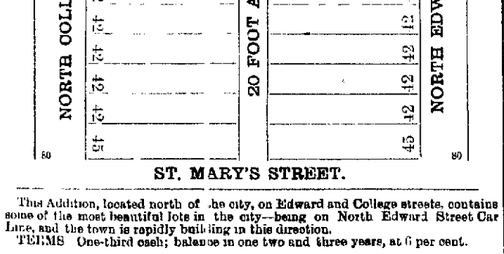

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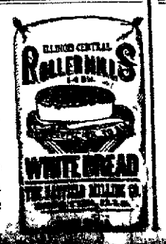

POLITE, BUT FIRM,

Was the Note of the Russian Assistant Commissioner

TO COLLECTOR OF THE PORT CLARK,

Protesting Against His Interference with Russian Exhibits—The Question of Reducing the Quorum—The Firemen's Relief Fund.

WORLD'S FAIR GROUNDS, CHICAGO, July 22.—Assistant Commissioner C. Ragousa-Soustchevsky, of Russia, addressed a polite but firm note yesterday to Collector of the Port of Chicago John M. Clark, reciting the circumstances of the affair in the Russian section of Manufactures building, and the provocation for the covering of the booths and show-cases by the exhibitors. The latter did not say in so many words that the imperial commission demanded satisfaction for the act of the custom house inspectors, but it explicitly conveyed the information that the representatives of the emperor approved the exhibitors' action in covering their displays until they were assured that the agents of the United States government would not be allowed to repeat the alleged offense.

A copy of the letter was received by the director-general, but he declined to furnish it to the press.

"Did the letter from the Russian commission say that the exhibits were closed by official order?"

"No, it was pacific and mild in tone, and made no particular reference to the conduct of the customs inspectors which lead to the covering of the exhibits The commission, however, did not disapprove of the action of the exhibitors But the exhibits were not closed, I understand."

A lengthy and excitable discussion was held in regard to the question of sales The commission finally decided to request the council of administration to reply to them, as all the articles are covered by exclusive concessions; second, as to the per centage which the concessionaires have contracted to pay on such sales in the exposition buildings, and third to give such information as quickly as possible to the commissioners That action was in the nature of an ultimatum, which will be replied to within a week, and the present situation warrants the conclusion that an amicable adjustment of the difficulty will be arrived at before the next meeting of the commissioners

The only way in which the Russian matter came before the commission was in a short speech from Commissioner Soustschevski. He dealt with the case more in the light of an act of impoliteness on the part of the customs officers, which would be settled in a manner satisfactory to the commission and the exhibitors. As the Russian commissioner did not officially order the covering of the exhibits and had no grievance to present to the commissioners no action was taken on the matter. It is likely that a letter from Collector Clark and the director general will settle the matter.

Col Davis and Chief Allison, of Manufactures department, paid an informal visit to the Russian section during the day, but did not induce the exhibitors to remove the coverings.

The national commission consumed the afternoon almost entirely in a tedious debate on the legality of the proposition to reduce the quorum of the commission from fifty-five to thirty-five A vote was taken on the question of laying the report of the judiciary committee on the table. It showed 25 for and 20 against, and the point of no quorum was raised. This leaves the quorum number as it stood when the judiciary committee reported adversely to a reduction.

By unanimous consent, Commissioner Roche, of South Carolina, was allowed to make a motion that the secretary of the treasury be requested to inform the commission if it could consistently with the act of congress reduce the quorum below a majority of the commission This motion and the report of the judiciary committee will be taken up Monday at noon, to which time the commission adjourned.

It is not likely that Mr. Roche's motion will prevail, as Secretary Carlisle is likely to inform the commission that the best thing for it to do in the case of no quorum is to go home and stay there.

As a result of the council of administration's consideration yesterday of the matter of distributing the $105,000 collected for a relief fund to the families of the firemen, President Higginbotham will recommend that the mayor's committee, the board of trade committee and the World's fair trustees act conditionally in the work of distribution, putting all the money contributed together and apportioning it in one sum. President Higginbotham said he had not decided when the distribution should be made, as money was still being received, and he would wait until the contributions stopped. The foreign commissioners' contribution to the fund, as announced at the meeting to-day, amounted to $987

Paid Admissions to the World's Fair.

CHICAGO, July 22.—The paid admissions at the World's fair yesterday were 83,236.

Sentenced.

NEW YORK, July 22.—Mrs. Margaret McCabe, convicted of manslaughter in the second degree, for killing the infant of Mrs. Rose Finch, on January 2, last, was yesterday sentenced to nine years and five months in state prison.

Imports of Dry Goods.

NEW YORK, July 22.—The imports of dry goods at the port of New York for the week ended yesterday were $2,814,282, and the amount marketed $2,931,085.

WEEKLY TRADE REVIEW.

An Extraordinary Strain Withstood with Surprising Firmness.

NEW YORK, July 22.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade, published this morning, says:

This week the country has withstood surprisingly well an extraordinary strain. The failure of many banks and firms, of a great iron syndicate and oil companies, the remarkable fall in stocks and the closing of some important manufacturing establishments have come in spite of relaxation of eastern and some southern money markets Denver banks were overthrown last Monday by the crazy, unwisdom of the people, and several in Kansas have gone down, but in most cities the statements just published show the banks in a healthy condition, and there has since been noticed more readiness to extend accommodation The great depression in stocks came at a time when easier money, some return of currency from the interior, and a beginning of gold imports from Europe, made many hopeful The closing of many manufacturing establishments is the inevitable result of great shrinkage in orders for some time past and uncertainty regarding the future.

Gloomy reports by the department also contributed to check reviving hopes Under all the conditions it is astonishing that business has been so well maintained with so little evidence of unsoundness

Even while cotton and woolen mills were working overtime on past orders, the scantiness of new orders was noticed and the great frequency of cancellations Close observers also saw evidence of decreasing distribution to consumers, so that dealers were left with part of their stocks unsold, and wholesale dealers found less encouragement to buy The steady increase in this state of things has brought such well-known mills as the Amoskeag cotton and Slatter woolen and many textile and shoe works to stop operations for a time until the prospect is clearer

In dry goods cancellations are still numerous sales of men's woolens are not commensurate with stocks prepared and orders small and mainly for low-grade goods Some improvement is seen in dress goods, but cottons are dull and brown goods lower Sales of wool are remarkably small, and shipments of shoes fall far behind last year

Purchases of tin are moderate and prices lower, and 10¼ cents is reported for Lake copper, while lead is weaker at 3.6 cents

Wheat has fallen 2 cents, corn 1 cent. Pork products and oil are lower In place of an expected advance in sugar a decline has come, and corn, after some advance, recedes again Western receipts of wheat are moderate and exports fairly large, but unprecedented stocks press for sale

The stock market closed last week hopefully, but by Wednesday had reached the lowest average of prices since 1884 London and short sellers then bought, and some recovery has followed

The treasury has been paying gold to the banks but on the whole increasing its holdings Exports of products are a little larger than a year ago, but imports are also large

The business failures during the past seven days number, for the United States, 402, against 166 for the corresponding week of last year, and 25 in Canada, against 19 for the corresponding week of last year, two of the failures being of capital exceeding $500,000 and $300,000, others of capital exceeding $5,000. Last week the failures in the United States numbered 374 and the previous week 334

During the week ended on the 20th leading clearing houses in the United States reported exchanges amounting to $979,445,234, against $1,000,390,677 the previous week As compared with the corresponding week of 1892 the decrease was 11 1 per cent Of the total amount the six leading cities reported as follows New York, $560,755,381, Chicago, $79,825,093, Boston, $83,106,751, Philadelphia, $67,477,964, St Louis, $16,111,411, and San Francisco, $12,500,068.

NEW YORK, July 22.—The day opened at the stock exchange with a rush to sell General Electric, transactions in which were made simultaneously at prices ranging all the way from 49¼ down to 40 The bears followed up this movement with an attack upon sugar and Chicago gas, until these stocks suffered a marked decline. The general list held up well, but later everything touched lower figures. The depression in Sugar was based on the demoralization in the market for raw sugar. The stock broke 3⅞ to 31¼, and Chicago gas 3 to 52¼. The final drive of the day was against Lackawanna, which was sold down from 14¼ to 37¼.

The bank failures at the west, the scarcity of money and the advance in sterling exchange all operated in favor of those working for lower figures. Chicago, Burlington & Quincy fell off 1⅞ to 70⅜, St Paul 2¾ to 54⅛, and Western Union 1⅞ to 75⅜.

Late in the afternoon the market resisted the raids more successfully, and a recovery of ½ to 3½ per cent. occurred, with General Electric, Lackawanna, New England, Sugar, Illinois Central, Lake Shore, Manhattan and Rock Island in the lead. Among the specialties Pullman jumped 1¼, to 160¼ and receded to 158¼. There was more or less covering of short contracts during the afternoon and some purchases for the long account. The buying movement was stimulated by the notice given in some cases that stocks would be bought in to-day in case of failure to deliver.

Speculation closed firm in tone. Transactions aggregated 985,189 shares, of which 61,556 were unlisted.

Another Lake Disaster.

SAULT STE. MARIE, Mich, July 21.—The first tidings of another lake disaster were brought here yesterday by the City of Windsor. Capt J. S. Moore reported that the lighthouse keeper at Big Duck island found part of a cabin ashore at Walkhouse, on the south side of Manitoulin island, fourteen miles northeast from Duck island, with one body in the top of the cabin Two other bodies were found on the beach near by, also a part of a pilot house No names or description could be learned or color of wreckage ascertained

Russia Denies the Invasion Stories.

LONDON, July 22.—In the house of commons yesterday Sir Edward Gray, parliamentary secretary for the foreign office, stated that on Wednesday last Russia had assured the foreign office that the stories about an armed Russian force being dispatched to seize the Pamir country were entirely false.

The home-rule bill was then taken up in committee of the whole, the discussion being on the financial clause, the last to be discussed prior to the passage of the bill by the house.

Didn't See It That Way.

LONDON, July 22.—In the house of commons, yesterday, Mr. Gladstone, replying to a question asked by Mr. Robert Everett, said that he did not agree with Mr. Everett's assumption that the new monetary policy adopted by the India government would create a large demand for gold which would possibly result in a further rise in the price of that metal.

WHEELER'S MISSION.

The Head of the Medical Department at Ellis' Island

RETURNS FROM HIS TRIP TO EUROPE,

Where He was Sent to Inspect the Sanitary Condition of Seaports with Reference to Cholera and Emigration to America.

NEW YORK, July 21.—Dr. W. A. Wheeler, head of the medical department at Ellis island, has returned from Europe, where he was sent by the treasury department at Washington to inspect the sanitary condition of the more important seaports, and learn the precautions used there in the transport of immigrants to this country.

He arrived on the White Star steamer Britannic yesterday morning, after and absence of nearly three months.

Dr. Wheeler has a lengthy report to make to the treasury department of his investigations, but when seen yesterday morning he declined to divulge its contents, and was unwilling to tell anything beyond the fact that in general the ports which he visited were in quite a satisfactory condition Later, however, he visited Ellis island and made known to Commissioner Senner some of the particulars of his inspection.

The information that cholera had appeared at Naples interested Dr. Wheeler greatly when he learned of it yesterday. He was in Naples about three weeks ago, and there was no sign of cholera there then. In regard to its appearance he said: "I certainly believe that it was imported, and under the present arrangements that it will be held in check."

These arrangements include the quarantining of all intending immigrants for five days in a building recently erected in the rear of the city Until the erection of this quarantine station there were no protective measures whatever, and in this respect Naples was far behind ports like Hamburg and Bremen.

The principal ports visited by Dr. Wheeler were Hamburg, Bremen, Rotterdam, Antwerp, Marseilles and Naples

In Hamburg and Bremen he found that every precaution was being taken to prevent the appearance of cholera and to hold it under control in the event of its appearance. He found that the steamship companies were protected by a careful inspection of all steerage passengers booked on their vessels, and that the sanitary conditions of the cities was far ahead of that of last year.

There have been a number of cases of cholera in Marseilles, but these were of a sporadic nature, from an attack of which Marseilles has never been free. There are few, if any, immigrants arriving from Marseilles, and the only importation to be feared is that of rags. The rags exported from that place to America, however, are thoroughly disinfected, before they are shipped, under the supervision of the American consul, whose certificate is required to this effect

Rotterdam and Antwerp were in fair condition, one thing being noted particularly by Dr. Wheeler. At each of these ports Russian Jews are collected, because not so much care is exercised there by the owners of steamships in the selection of their steerage passengers. At Hamburg, particularly, Russian Jews have recently had difficulty in securing passage tickets to America, and the result is that others are gathering at Rotterdam and Antwerp for immigration.

BASEBALL.

National League and American Association Clubs.

The following games were played yesterday:

AT ST LOUIS

St Louis	1	0	0	1	3	0	0	4	1	0—10
Cincinnatis	1	0	2	0	0	2	1	0	0	0—10

Batteries—Gleason, Clarkson and Gunson, Parrot Chamberlain and Vaughn

Game called at the end of the tenth inning on account of darkness

AT BROOKLYN

Brooklyns	1	2	0	0	0	0	2	0	4	—9
Baltimores	1	1	0	1	2	0	3	0	0	—8

Batteries—Haddock and Kinslow' Mullane, McNabb and Clarke

AT LOUISVILLE

Clevelands	3	0	0	5	0	0	3	*	—11	
Louisvilles	1	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	1	—6

Batteries—Young and O'Connor, Stratton and Grim

AT CHICAGO

Chicagos	2	4	0	5	0	0	1	0	0	—12
Pittsburghs	1	2	0	0	0	3	2	0	1	—9

Batteries—Hutchinson and Kittridge, Gumbert, Colcough and Sugden

AT PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphias	2	0	3	2	0	0	8	2	3	—20
Washingtons	0	0	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	—4

Batteries—Keefe and Clements, Graff and Farrell

AT BOSTON

Bostons	0	1	0	1	1	2	0	0	*	—5
New Yorks	0	0	0	2	1	1	0	0	0	—4

Batteries—Stivetts and Gazzel, German and Wilson

Games Scheduled for To-Day.

New Yorks at Boston
Baltimores at Brooklyn
Washingtons at Philadelphia
Clevelands at Louisville
Pittsburghs at Chicago
Cincinnatis at St Louis

Southern League Games.

At Atlanta—Atlantas, 10, Augustas, 4.
At Chattanooga—Macons, 4, Chattanoogas, 2.
At New Orleans—Mobiles, 7, New Orleans, 6
At Memphis—Memphis 17, Birminghams, 6
At Nashville—Montgomerys, 5, Nashvilles, 4

The Russian Fleet in New York Harbor.

NEW YORK, July 22.—The report published yesterday morning that the Russian fleet had received orders to move from here in the direction of Siam, was denied emphatically by officers on board the fleet in the North river.

Admiral Kasnakoff declared that no such order had been received, and that as far as known at present the original plans will be carried out.

It Should be in Every House.

J. B. Wilson, 371 Clay street, Sharpsburg, Pa., says he will not be without Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, that it cured his wife who was threatened with Pneumonia after an attack of "La Grippe," when various other remedies and several physicians had done her no good. Robert Barber, of Cooksport, Pa., claims Dr. King's New Discovery has done him more good than anything he ever used for Lung Trouble. Nothing like it. Try it. Free trial bottles at King & Wood's drug store. Large bottles, 50c and $1.00

Wood Pumps, Chain Pumps, Iron Force Pumps, for sale at Spencer & Lehmann's. [illegible]

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

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TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

—The Traders' bank of Tacoma, Wash., failed to open yesterday morning.

—Two entire blocks of buildings in Long Island City, N. Y., were destroyed by fire yesterday

—The comptroller of the currency has been informed that the Farmers' national bank of Henrietta, Tex, has failed.

Comptroller Eckles has ordered a dividend of 50 per cent in favor of the creditors of the Evanston national bank of Evanston, Ill.

—The steamship Furst Bismarck, which arrived in New York yesterday morning, brought $43,700 in gold, consigned to New York bankers.

—The fire at Ewen, Mich., Thursday afternoon, burned nearly every building north of the railroad track, except dwelling houses on the outskirts of the town

—A fight took place Wednesday in Wise county Va between state troops and outlaws, in which four soldiers were killed and six outlaws were mortally wounded.

—A A Constantinidi, recently a partner in the firm of Sophocles, Constantinidi & Sons, merchants, of London has failed. His liabilities amount to £30,294 and his assets to £7,627.

—In the United States court at Atlanta, Ga., the attorney for the Central Trust Co filed a bill yesterday to foreclose a $14,500,000 mortgage on the Georgia Pacific railroad This is a part of the reorganization scheme

—Honduras troops threatened mutiny because they had not been paid President Vasquez forced a loan from the merchants of the city and planters in the suburbs. With this money the soldiers were paid and an uprising prevented

—There was an explosion of dynamite, yesterday, in a shanty on Washington street, northeast near Fourth avenue, Minneapolis, Minn. Gilus Olsen lost his life, and much damage was done in the way of broken glass and falling plaster

—Princess Amelia, wife of Baron Paul Huegel, and youngest sister of the Duke of York, died at Gratz capital of Styria, Austria, yesterday The princess was an aunt of Princess May, wife of the Duke of York, who is now spending her honeymoon at Sandringham.

—Gen Adam E. King, late consul-general of the United States to France, who returned home last week speaking of the trouble between France and Siam, said "There is no doubt that the cause can be found in the desire of the French to foster colonization schemes."

—The openly-expressed sympathy of the Kansas state administration for the striking coal miners, and the fear that it will incite the strikers to lawless acts which will result in great damage to the mines has induced the mine operators to appeal to the federal authorities for protection

—Another serious condition of things now confronting the people of Denver is the suffering and distress of the great army of the unemployed The various commercial bodies of the city and the railroad officials are trying to come to some agreement regarding the best means to bring about relief

—One hundred and fifty miners employed in the Sunday Lake mine at Wakefield Mich, controled by the Schlesinger syndicate, went on strike yesterday because they had not received pay for the last month's work. General Manager Cole says he does not know when he will have enough to pay them

—The land telegraph wires between Saigon and Bangkok have been cut by the Siamese This will cause some delay in the transmission of dispatches to the French war ships at Bangkok, as all messages will have to be sent via Singapore, Madras, Calcutta, and thence through Burmah and down the bay of Bengal, and so on over the line that extends northeasterly from Bangkok to Elephant Point.

SAVINGS BANK COLLAPSES

[SPECIAL TO REPUBLICAN]

CHICAGO, July 22.—Much surprise was caused in Milwaukee this morning by the Milwaukee National Bank failing to open its doors. The South Side Savings Bank, a small concern, suspended. Great excitement and runs on all the leading banks in the city.

THE CHURCHES TO-MORROW.

W. C. T. U.

Gospel temperance meeting Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, in their rooms in Library Block, led by Rev. David Gay, of Texas, formerly of this city.

Y. M. C. A.

Men's meeting in the Y. M. C. A. rooms at 3:30 p. m. Leader, E. P. Irons. Subject, "God's First and Second Questions." All men are invited.

ANTIOCH BAPTIST.

Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by Rev. William Steward. All invited.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

W. H. Penhallegon, D. D., pastor. Morning service and communion at 10:45. In the evening the congregation will join in the union service at the Baptist. Sunday school at 2:30 p. m. Christian Endeavor meetings at 7 p. m. Strangers and others not worshiping elsewhere are cordially invited.

COLLEGE STREET CHAPEL.

Sunday school at 2 p. m., R. G. Wells, Supt.

WESTMINSTER CHAPEL.

Corner of Macon street and Haworth avenue. Sunday school at 2 p. m., R. J. Simpson, Supt.

FREE METHODIST CHURCH.

Moved to the old Presbyterian church, on Prairie street, between North Main and Church streets. Wilby Johnson pastor. Services to-morrow: Sabbath school 9 a. m.; preaching, 10:15 a. m.; class meeting at 11 a. m., preaching and revival services, 7:45 p. m. A Willing Workers' society will be organized Sabbath morning. All are cordially invited to these meetings.

U. B. CENTENARY CHURCH.

428 North Broadway. J. A. F. King, pastor. Class meeting at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. by the pastor. Subject: "The Sheltering Rock." Sabbath school at 2 p. m., J. McMahon, superintendent. No evening service.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

Cor. N. Water and E. North streets. Charles E. Torrey, pastor. Bible school at 9:30 a. m. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 p. m. Preaching at 10:45 a. m. Subject: "The Goodness, Greatness and Unbounded Love of Jesus Christ." The evening union service will be held in this church, conducted by Rev. Simon Rohrer of the Christian church. Sermon by Rev. Torrey. Topic. "Enthusiasm."

East Park Bible school at 2:30 p. m.

FIRST ENGLISH EVNG. LUTHERAN.

Rev. M. L. Wagner, pastor. Services 10:30 a. m. and 8 p. m. Preaching by the pastor. Sunday School at 9:15 a. m. All are welcome.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Rev. Simon Rohrer, pastor. Services at the chapel, corner E. Edmond and Warren streets, Sunday at 10:30 a. m. Preaching by the pastor. Subject: "Not to Destroy but to Fulfill." The Sunday school will unite with the chapel school at 9 a. m. The court gation will join in the union service at the Baptist church in the evening Preaching by Eld. Torrey. Endeavor meeting Monday evening at 7:45.

GRACE M. E. CHURCH.

Rev. H. H. Oneal, D. D., pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. Subject: "Victory." No evening service.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

Corner of Eldorado and Church streets, Rev. W. C. Miller, pastor Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 10:45 a. m. Christian Endeavor at 6:45 p. m. No evening service.

CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

North Main street, over Woman's Exchange. Rev. E. B. Kuntz, pastor. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Services at 11:00 a. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday, 8:00 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. Sunday, 7:15 p. m. You are welcome.

Do You Want

Half-dozen of hand-painted bread and butter plates at 60 cents? If so, we have got them.

E. D. BARTHOLOMEW.

Sales of Real Estate.

Charles Adams to Julius Nagusewski, deed to lots 11 and 12, block 19, Carver's addition—$1500.

City of Decatur to Dr. Ira N. Barnes, quit claim to strip of land south of Eldorado street—$1.00.

If You Fail

to secure some of the bargains we are offering in our clearance sale, you will regret it all your life.

E. D. BARTHOLOMEW.

If you can afford to be annoyed by sick headache and constipation, don't use DeWitt's Little Early Risers for these little pills will cure them. W. F. Reisher.

FOR RENT—A good house of eight rooms and back room, water in house, on Prairie st. Apply at this office. [illegible]

FRENCH DEMANDS.

Siam Will Cheerfully Pay the Money Indemnity

BUT WILL RESIST THE TERRITORIAL

Demands of Her Powerful Antagonist, in Which She Will be Supported by Great Britain—M. Pavie and the French Ultimatum.

LONDON, July 21.—Important communications have passed to-day between the foreign office and H. M. Jones, British minister resident in Bangkok.

Vice-Admiral Fremantle, commander-in-chief of the Chinese division of the fleet, is hastening to Singapore, where dispatches from the admiralty awaits him. The greater part of the squadron under his command accompanied him.

Great Britain informed Siam yesterday that she could not recognize any obligations to assist her. It is evident, therefore, that the Siamese government must patch up as best as it can most of its differences with France. In the territorial arrangements, however, Great Britain will have a voice. The exact nature of her demands cannot be ascertained before France shall specify more particularly than she has specified in her ultimatum, the boundaries of the territory to be brought under French control. The ultimatum is notably indefinite as regards this point. Even Siam is still in the dark, and her efforts to obtain light from M. Pavie bids fair to fail for several days.

The vital part of the French demand for territory may include the whole left bank of the Mekong river. This territory Siam will not surrender without a struggle. France has given Siam a month in which to withdraw from the ports of the lower Mekong. Siam manifests all willingness to pay France the indemnity demanded for injuries to French citizens and property, although the indemnity specified by France is far in excess of the damage.

M Pavie, minister resident, handed France's ultimatum to Prince Devawongse, Siamese minister of foreign affairs, on Friday. At the same time he informed the Siamese government that in case France's demands should be refused, he would at once leave Bangkok to go aboard the gunboat Forfeit. The blockade of the Siamese, he added, would be declared at once.

The opinion is general here that Siam will offer to pay the indemnity demanded by France It is doubtful, however, that the French claims to the territory will be allowed. Much depends on the response of Great Britain to the efforts Siam is making to gain her moral or material support.

NO VIOLENT OUTBREAK

Occurred at Weir City Yesterday, but Bloodshed is Expected To-Day.

WEIR CITY, Kan., July 21.—No violent outbreak has occurred to-day, but it is looked for to-morrow At an early hour this morning a large meeting was held at Baker's hall Thomas Allen, ex-attorney-general, was present and addressed the strikers at some length, deprecating violence, but making otherwise an inflammatory speech.

Another large meeting of the strikers was held in the old school building, but its result is not known None of the strip pits are at work to-day, but some of Clements' men went back to their pit and got the remains of the property left there.

This afternoon a crowd gathered and started to shafts 47 and 48, with the intention of driving out the men guarding the property. After hanging around close to them for some time, the crowd gradually dispersed.

The mob of strikers consisted chiefly of French and Belgians, women as well as men. The men at the shafts were well armed. The conflict would have been a bloody one. Sheriff Arnold was on the scene to-day and assisted in dispersing the mob.

A Dying Veteran's Pension Lopped Off.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., July 22.—Hiram Weeks, of Minneapolis, a veteran who served four years in the federal army during the war of the rebellion, has received notice that his pension of six dollars per month will be discontinued. While in the service he passed through forty-three battles, one of which was Gettysburg. He is now very near death from gangrene of the foot and various other complaints, some of which had been traced directly to his exposure in the army.

The only reason which can be found for the cutting off of his pension is the incomplete and one-sided report which was sent to Washington by the St. Paul board of examiners, who refused to look at his foot at the last examination.

Weeks' case has created considerable feeling among G. A. R. circles, and prominent parties have interested themselves in securing the renewal and increase of his pension.

SOCIETY MEETINGS.

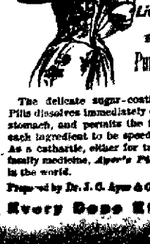
MASONIC.

Special communication of Macon Lodge, No. 8, A. F. and A. M., this (Saturday) evening at 8 o'clock. Work in the Second degree. Members of Ionic Lodge and visiting brethren cordially invited. ELI F. DAWSON, W. M.
W. L. HAMMER, Sec.

Ayer's Pills

THE BEST

Family Medicine



CURE Sick Headache, CONSTIPATION, Dyspepsia, Liver Troubles.

Easy to Take. Purely Vegetable.

The delicate sugar-coating of Ayer's Pills dissolves immediately on reaching the stomach, and permits the full strength of each ingredient to be speedily assimilated. As a cathartic, either for travelers or as a family medicine, Ayer's Pills are the best in the world.

Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Every Dose Effective

CLOSING OUT SALE!

WE have quite a good deal of Hot Weather Clothing which we are closing out. Look at the bargains in the following list:

All Straw Hats, And we have a very few left go AT COST

Hot Weather Coats, From 50c up to $8. We have some elegant Silk Coats and Vests for nobby dressers.

Negligee Shirts, In Soft and Unlaundered. Our French Crepe Negligee at 50c, is a dandy, is cool and washes well. Some elegant things in Half Laundered shirts left, all go at ridiculously low prices.

A Good Assortment Of Summer Neckwear to select from.

This Is Trouser Month, And we have many odd Pants, suitable to wear out your present coat and vest, which we can sell you from $1.50 to $7.50.

Our $16.50 Flat-bound, guaranteed all fast color, black Clay Dress Suit, our leader, and is the same suit which will pay competitors $20 for.

Our Children's Department HAS MANY BARGAINS

We have a big line of Knee Pants and Waists. OUR CHILDREN'S WASH SUITS, just the thing for the boys in this extremely hot weather, go at ANY PRICE.

DON'T FAIL TO AVAIL YOURSELF OF SOME OF THESE BARGAINS.

B. STINE CLOTHING CO.

Bradley Bros.

DRY GOODS AND MILLINERY

Decatur Ill.

✻ WE WILL OFFER THIS WEEK ✻

All our Parasols and Fancy Sun Umbrellas at the following reduced prices:

20 Fancy Parasols at $1.20,
REDUCED FROM $2.00 and $2.50.

25 Fine Fancy Parasols at $1.95,
REDUCED FROM $3, $3.50 and $4.

27 Fancy Parasols at $2.95,
REDUCED FROM $4.50, $5 and $5.50.

36 Silk Sun Umbrellas at $2.95.
Navy Blue and Red, Reduced from $5.

Bradley Bros.

HEADQUARTERS FOR CARPETS AND CURTAINS.

CORNER WATER AND WILLIAM STS.

A GOOD TIME

To have your Watch Repaired is

NOW.

ur Facilities for WATCH, JEWELRY and CLOCK REPAIRING are the Best.

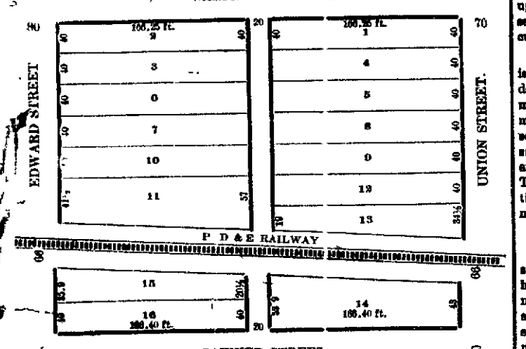
First-Class Work, PROMPTNESS, and Reasonable Charges.

W. R. ABBOTT & CO.,

Jewelers

AND FINE WATCH REPAIRERS.

WILLIAMS' SUBDIVISION OF BLOCK ONE, GULICK'S ADDITION TO DECATUR.



The above lots in Williams' Subdivision of Block 1. Gulick's Addition, are beautifully located, high and dry, at the end of the North Edward Street Electric Street Railway line, 10 minutes ride from Lincoln Square. These lots are in the finest building section of the city and are the best in the market for the money, ranging in price from $250 to $400. For further particulars and terms apply to the owner.

A. J. WILLIAMS,
1345 North Union Street.

THE NEW MEAT MARKET.
THE BON TON MARKET.

At Ricketts & Co.'s Old Stand, 209 North Main Street.

Now open under a new, permanent and experienced management.
We shall take special pains in the selection of our meats—*First quality only*
Remember that we guarantee prompt delivery, and will in every way make our market worthy of your patronage.

TELEPHONE 855.

SIDNEY DEDMAN, Manager.

July 5-dlm

Sealed Bids.

Public notice is hereby given that the contract for constructing the reservoir for the filter plant of the public water works of the city of Decatur, Illinois, together with all matters pertaining thereto, will be let to the lowest responsible bidder and that sealed bids will be received from the date hereof, until four o'clock p. m. of Monday, the 31st day July A. D. 1893.

That the cementing of said reservoir will be required to be constructed strictly in accordance with the plans and specifications for the same, now on file in the office of the city clerk, and subject to the inspection and approval of said city.

The contractor will be required to furnish all labor and material of whatever nature required to do such cementing, together with all matters pertaining thereto.

The contractor will be required to enter into a contract with said city, which said contract shall contain sufficient and proper covenants and conditions for the cementing of said reservoir, strictly in compliance with said plans and specifications, and shall contain such other covenants, conditions and limitations as shall be necessary in and about the premises, and the contractor will be required to give a good and sufficient bond in the sum of five hundred dollars.

The city council reserves the right to permit the water and light committee of said council to open and examine any and all bids after four o'clock p. m. of Monday, the 31st day of July A. D. 1893, for the purpose of said committee making a report of all bids received, to the city council of said city.

A good and sufficient bond or certified check, in the sum of five hundred dollars, must accompany each bid.

All bids together with all matters pertaining to the same will be submitted to the city council, and said city council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Decatur, Illinois, July 5, A. D. 1893.

L. F. SHELLEY, City Clerk.

July 5-dtd.

Sealed Bids.

Public notice is hereby given that the contract to make the necessary excavations in which to lay the water pipe which has been ordered laid by the city of Decatur, Illinois, together with the refilling of the trenches after the pipe is laid, will be let to the lowest responsible bidder, and that sealed bids will be received from the date hereof, until four o'clock p. m. of Monday, the 7th day of August, A. D. 1893, at the office of the City Clerk of said city.

That the making of the necessary trenches and refilling same shall be done strictly in accordance with the plans and specifications for same, now on file in the office of the city clerk, and subject to the inspection, direction and approval of said city.

The contractor will be required to furnish all labor and material of whatever nature required to construct such trenches, and refill the same, together with all matters pertaining thereto.

The said city will furnish all pipe and lay the same in the trenches so constructed.

The contractor will be required to enter into a contract with said city, which said contract shall contain sufficient and proper covenants and conditions for the construction of such trenches and refilling the same, and shall contain such other covenants, conditions and limitations as shall be necessary in and about the premises.

The contractor will be required to give good and sufficient bond in the sum of five hundred dollars for the faithful performance of such contract.

A good and sufficient bond or certified check in the sum of five hundred dollars must accompany each bid.

All bids will be submitted to said Council, and said Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids or any part thereof.

Decatur, Illinois, July 5, A. D. 1893.

L. F. SHELLEY, City Clerk.

C. M. LANE. Law Office, DECATUR, ILL.

"Pillsbury's Best Is The Best."

Proverbs

are often homely. Few are homelier, but none is truer than "You can't make a silk purse out of a sow's ear." Neither can you make good bread from poor flour.

USE

and you will always have Perfect Bread.

HORACE GLARK & SONS, Genl. Agts.
PEORIA, ILL.

MONDAY, TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY,

July 17th, 18th and 19th,

We will offer a large lot of DRESS GOODS at 10 Cents Straight—worth 12½, 15, 18 and 20c, all New and Desirable Styles of this season's purchase.

First choice always desirable. Examine the goods and you will surely buy.

S. G HATCH & BRO.,
151 East Main Street.

ST. Nicholas Hotel
CHAS. LAUK, Proprietor.
Corner Third and Church Streets, Decatur, Ill.

DAILY REPUBLICAN

S. K. HAMMER. | W. F. CALHOUN.
HAMMER & CALHOUN, Prop'rs
DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

Entered at the Post Office at Decatur, Illinois as second class mail matter.

SATURDAY EVE., JULY 22, 1893.

THE Cook county jail is said to be as filthy as the "black hole of Calcutta."

THE biggest failure that has yet occurred in Ohio is the search of the Democrats for a man who is willing to be walked over by McKinley.

PROBABLY Comptroller Eckels is the only man in the country who suspects that people have been depositing their money in banks they thought were dangerous.

ONE hundred and twenty fourth class postmasters were appointed yesterday, of whom seventy-one were to fill places made by removals. This is very encouraging to the faithful.

THE best thing the President could do at the present writing would be to hermetically seal the lips of about two-thirds of his appointees who are trying to run the government with their last year's months.

CLEVELAND has a pretty bad opinion of his party on the finance question, but he knows that there are enough Republicans to bring wise financial legislation about when they are aided by sound-money Democrats.

IF the manufacturing interests which includes the labor interests, had as little cause for alarm on account of the change in the administration, as those who have deposits in banks, the country could go along contented and securely.

THE Democratic campaigners would like to close the mouth of the Republican press as to the shortcomings and vaporings of the present administration. There was a time in the history of the same class of campaigners when they said "all we ask is to be let alone." If it were not for the just criticisms passed upon the party these campaigners represent, it might trump up some sort of excuse for existing.

THE merchants and bankers of Denver issued a card Thursday in which they deplore the violent utterances recently made by excited individuals, which means the Populist governor, who said something about riding in blood to the saddle bows, and declare that such utterances do not represent that city or state. This is encouraging and proper. It is time the calamity howlers last campaign months were closed.

"Heart Failure" Means Nothing.

Boston *Globe*: The registration and sanitary committee of the board of health of Philadelphia has publicly stigmatized, as it deserves, the superficial and harmful habit of disposing of every sudden death as being due to heart failure. It says:

Physicians are requested not to place on any certificate "heart failure" as the cause of death, but the disease of which the patient was suffering prior to the heart failure. This term has never been placed on the list of diseases adopted by the board, it being looked upon as a result of some other illness from which the patient had been suffering. Furthermore, it furnishes an opportunity to conceal contagious diseases, and thus permits the ignoring of the rules of this board, either innocently or designedly.

Hereafter a burial permit will not be issued on the certificate of death of "heart failure" when unaccompanied with the disease from which the heart failure occurred.

A willing but too heavily over-tasked horse does not stop the load. It is the over-laden wagon that stops the horse. Likewise, it is not the heart that stops the bodily machine. It is the overclogged and badly encumbered machine that stops the heart, or, in other words, the heart can no longer drag its too heavy load.

THERE never was a time in the history of this government when the banks were as strong and safe as when the Republicans went out of power. There has not been a time for many a long day that the bank had as much ready cash in their vaults as they have to-day, for the reason that after the change of administration and consequent limitation in manufactures, the banks, becoming a little apprehensive that depositors might become excited, called in their money from every available source and have it on hand. In face of these facts, any man, whether it be the comptroller of the currency or any other person, who will take the risk of exciting the people to a suspicion that banks are dangerous, by recklessly talking about bad laws bringing us to financial turmoil and all that sort of thing, hoping thereby to divert the public mind from the fact that all the legitimate trouble we have—which is the timid condition of capital invested in manufactories and the consequent idleness of intelligent workmen—is directly chargeable to the threats of the party in power to revolutionize our tariff system. Our other troubles have been merely incidental to this, and the run on banks has been entirely uncalled for and resulted as much to the injury of the depositor as to the banks.

Comptroller Eckels.

Comptroller of the Currency Eckels seems to have had a revelation; at least he talked more sense in one minute since his speech to New York bankers than could be twisted out of his New York speech in a week. This is no time for a comptroller to deal in platitudes and fol-de-rol about who is responsible for this or that law and what has brought about the present financial trouble. This is a time for that important financial officer to talk about the best methods of restoring confidence. In his New York speech this officer said:

If the citizens would study the character of the institutions which have failed, the causes and the localities in which they occurred, and then view the solvent institutions everywhere about them also, the conclusion that must follow is that the legitimate life of the country is not threatened, but instead will come out of the present turmoil stronger for having passed through it.

In concluding the speech he said:

The people should not invite disaster by withdrawing from solvent institutions money which the depositors cannot possibly use.

The effect of such statements, coming from the source they have, must be to intensify suspicion and not allay it. The people are invited to examine the broken banks, and are asked to note that the result was due to bad banking. He has gets that when the people deposited in these banks they thought them good, and in a majority of cases they were not mistaken. People do not deposit in banks they consider bad; but now, after these banks have failed, he asks the people to investigate and see how badly they were mistaken. If this is not calculated to breed suspicion in the minds of the people as to banking in general, then it would be hard to say anything that would create alarm. His closing advice to the people is just as bad. After calling their attention to the suspension of banks, the people when making deposits thought good, and which, since they have failed, Mr. Eckels has discovered were bad, he tells the people they ought not withdraw their money from banks that are solvent. That is just what the people do not do. As they do not deposit in banks they think bad, so they do not run on banks they think so'vent. It is not until they are alarmed by such foolish utterances as those of the comptroller, and other half-cooked financiers and statesmen, that they make a run, and when so alarmed they are as apt to run on good as on bad banks. That is the reason the comptroller's speech was a very unfortunate one.

The fact, as this paper has repeatedly stated, is, that a large majority of the banks forced to suspend by runs, were safe banks, and the runs were simply nonsensical. But evidently the comptroller has been taught a lesson since he delivered that foolish speech for two days later he talks sense. Instead of trying to convince depositors that the banks which were forced by depositors to suspend were of bad character, he says in an interview:

In the case of the Denver banks the closing was compelled not through lack of business methods or reckless management, but from loss of confidence by depositors. They being uncalled-for runs, and it is my purpose to aid the banks with all the means I can control. * * * What is true regarding Denver applies with equal force to other banks in the west where suspension has not resulted from reckless investments or bad management on the part of officers. Wherever the citizens of a place have precipitated trouble by instituting a run upon long-established and well-conducted institutions it is but just that they should take hold and assist these banks by redepositing with them thus placing them in a position to resume their business on a sound financial basis.

This is good sense and the direct opposite of what he formerly said. He knew when he made his speech that the banks as a rule were all right; that those now existing have more money in their vaults than they have had at any one time for years and that those runs are absolutely uncalled for and inexcusable. The banks are all right and the present financial trouble does not come from the banks. They are not shaky, it left alone by depositors, and the idea advanced by the comptroller that it is necessary, in order that the country should become stronger financially, that a lot of banks should be forced to close is ridiculous and absurd.

ALPINE CLIMBERS.

Thrilling Stories of the Dangers Encountered By Venturesome Tourists.

It is a thrilling story of mountaineering that is told in a current quarterly, to illustrate the danger of making difficult ascents with a single guide. A traveler fell through a snow bridge. His single guide could just preserve his equilibrium, but was quite unable to do more; he could only hold loyally by the rope and wait for the event. It is difficult to conceive a crueller situation or a more terrible responsibility—the very punishment devised by Mezentius—and yet to decide upon cutting himself free! Fortunately, after about an hour, but by the merest chance, another party came in sight upon the glacier, and the traveler was drawn up in time to save his life. If the rule is observed that at least three persons must be on the rope no such danger can ever occur.

Though the idea still lingers that brandy keeps out the cold the writer on mountaineering repeats that it has the opposite effect, and adds that as a cure for giddiness alcohol is also valueless. The broad path is the only remedy for giddiness. Another which was once tried may be efficacious enough, but is only mentioned, without being recommended, in the following story:

A party of four were entering on a narrow ledge, when one of the travelers declared that he was giddy and could not move. The leader, one of the two most famous Oberland men of the time (nearly thirty years ago), merely turned to the giddy guide with the brief command: "Push him over." His orders were always beyond question, and the traveler was straightway lowered over the precipice, and, dangling on the rope for a few seconds, was drawn back with all his powers of climbing restored.—Chicago Tribune.

Smart Man.

Twynn—I headed off Bawler nicely at the Cumsoes last night.

Triplett—How did you manage it?

Twynn—He was determined to sing "Thy Sentinel Am I," but I took him off to a corner and explained that there wasn't a solitary person in the company who had any ear for music, and that it was a pity to display his great talents before an inappreciative audience.—Brooklyn Life.

EASY TO TAKE

—Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. Smallest, easiest, cheapest, best. They're tiny, sugar-coated, anti-bilious granules, a compound of refined and concentrated vegetable extracts. Without disturbance or trouble, Constipation, Indigestion, Bilious Attacks, Sick and Bilious Headaches, and all derangements of the liver, stomach, and bowels are prevented, relieved, and cured. *Permanently* cured, too. By their mild and natural action, these little Pellets lead the system into natural ways again. Their influence *lasts*.

And they're the *cheapest* pills you can buy, for they're *guaranteed* to give satisfaction in every case, or your money is promptly returned.

You pay only for the *good* you get.

Everything catarrhal is its nature, Catarrh itself, and all the troubles that come from Catarrh, are perfectly and permanently cured by Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy. No matter how bad your case or of how long standing, you can be cured.

BALDNESS AND BRAINS.

An Expert in Hair Declares That the Popular Impression is Fallacious.

"Hair and brains never grow on the same head," they used to tell me when I was young, and by this and other wise old saws I was early taught to reverence the outward shine as a symbol of mental polish. But in the light of science, hirsuteness and intellectual capacity do not seem so antagonistic to each other. In fact, a well known hair specialist, whose acquaintance I made recently, told me, and with some show of reason, that the hair is a sure index of one's mental staying power.

"I always look on a bald-headed man," she said, "as deficient, not only in hair, but in actual brain power. You know each hair is connected with the brain by a tiny nerve and the loss of all these nerves means loss of powers. Indeed, though the effects may not be at first so apparent, a man may as well lose his hand or his foot as his hair.

"You don't think so? The next time you hear of a man who has all his life been clear-headed and practical suddenly doing some foolish and inexplainable thing or breaking down in a crisis which demands all his energies—just look at his head. In nine times out of ten he is bald. Half the men who drop dead suddenly are bald. Really, I don't think that bald-headed men are fit to hold positions of trust or responsibility, for no one knows just when the overtaxed brain is going to break down."

But she does not leave the poor wretch absolutely without one ray of hope. Indeed, she says that most cases of baldness are curable, though it may be slow work; and the cure she proposes is so pleasant and luxurious that one could almost wish to be bald in order to try it. It has the advantage too, of being easily tried if one has a complaisant wife, sister or sweetheart—that is, if bald-headed men ever do have sweethearts. The cure consists simply in having one's head gently and soothingly "scratched" for about an hour every evening.

This gentle and continuous friction, aided occasionally by some preparation or soap containing tar, stimulates the roots and will, in course of time, cause a new growth of hair to appear, and is about the only thing that ever will. Doesn't sound nice? But just fancy a man with a head as smooth and destitute of covering as Bill Nye's is said to be presenting that head as a subject for feminine fingers.—Philadelphia Press.

—Miss Madison—"Strange your recital was not a success. The papers said that the audience went wild." Paderuhsky—"That means that they stampeded for the box-office."—N. Y. Tribune.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & Co., Proprs., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligation made by their firm.

WEST & TRUAX, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, Ohio.
WALDING, KINNAN & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, Ohio.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price, 75c per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Testimonials free.

To MRS. LUCY HALL PARR of Chicago, who was for awhile secretary to George H. Pullman, is largely due the credit for the admirable quality of the library at Pullman, Ill. She made an exhaustive study of public libraries and designed and equipped the Pullman Building, now holding a library of her own selection.

Electric Bitters.

This remedy is become so well known and so popular as to need no special mention. All who have used Electric Bitters sing the same song of praise.—A purer medicine does not exist and it is guaranteed to do all that is claimed. Electric Bitters will cure all diseases of the Liver and Kidneys, will remove Pimples, Boils, Salt Rheum and other affections caused by impure blood.—Will drive Malaria from the system and prevent as well as cure all Malarial fevers. For cure of Headache, Consumption and indigestion try Electric Bitters—Entire satisfaction guaranteed, or money refunded.—Price 50 cts. and $1.00 per bottle, at King & Wood's Drug Store.

In the state of New York a law has come into operation, according to which the mother is now a joint guardian with the father of the children; if either dies, the other remains sole guardian. The same law is also in force in Iowa, Kansas, Nebraska, Oregon and Washington.

PROF. NIEL,

government chemist, writes: I have carefully analyzed your "Royal Ruby Port Wine," bought by me in the open market, and certify that I found the same absolutely pure and well aged. This wine is especially recommended for its health-restoring and building up properties; it strengthens the weak and restores lost vitality; particularly adapted for convalescents, the aged, nursing mothers and those reduced and weakened by overwork and worry. Be sure you get "Royal Ruby"; $1 per quart bottles, pints 60 cts. Sold by Dr. A. J. Stoner, bottled by Royal Wine Co., Chicago.

MISS ALICE LONGFELLOW celebrates the 17th of June of each year by providing a special car for a party of working girls from Boston, different ones being invited each season, and entertains them for the afternoon at the old historic mansion in Cambridge.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

THE BEST SALVE in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or your money refunded. Price, 25 cents per box. For sale by King & Wood, druggist. dlw

QUEEN VICTORIA still takes great interest in her study of Hindustani and has become so proficient in the language that whenever a rajah from her Indian dominion visits her she converses with him in his native tongue.

ALL that honesty, experience and skill can do to produce a perfect pill, has been employed in making DeWitt's Little Early Risers. The result is a specific for sick headache, biliousness and constipation. W. F. Neisler.

WHENEVER Queen Victoria's little grandchildren lunch with her their rolls are made in the shape of manikins. The bread which her majesty eats is all made by a Polish refugee, who was a protege of the Prince consort.

One word describes it—"perfection." We refer to DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cures obstinate sores, burns, skin diseases and is a well known cure for piles. W. F. Neisler.

Buggies, Buggies, Buggies.

When you want a Buggy, Surrey or Phaeton come and look through our stock. We have some of the best buggies made and our prices are the lowest.

THE SPENCER & LEHMAN CO.

WABASH EXCURSIONS.

HOMER, ILL., account of fair, round trip $9.30; sell August 8th to 12th; good returning till August 18th.

Bellevue, Ill., account Cook & Whitley's circus, round trip $1; to sell Aug. 7th; good returning Aug. 8th.

Huntsville, Ill., account Cook & Whitley's circus, round trip $1; sell Aug. 8th; good returning Aug. 9th.

Springfield, Ill., account Firemen's Tournament, round trip $2.50; sell August 5th and 6th; good returning to and including August 7th.

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of Joseph D. Keagle, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed Administrator of the estate of Joseph D. Keagle, late of the county of Macon and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Macon County, at the court house in Decatur, at the September term, on the first Monday in September next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 17th day of July, 1893.

J. B. CAMPBELL,
Administrator.

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Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of an execution to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the County court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of Jacob Deardorff and against Emanuel S. Deardorff, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: Lot eleven (11), block seven (7) East Park Boulevard addition to the city of Decatur. Taken as property of the said Emanuel S. Deardorff which I shall offer at public sale at the north door of the court house in Macon county, in said state, on the 4th day of August A. D. 1893, at 2 p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

Dated this 14th day of July, A. D. 1893.

PETER PERL,
Sheriff Macon County, Illinois.

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STATE OF ILLINOIS } ss.
MACON COUNTY.

In the Circuit Court of said County, September Term, A. D. 1893.

The Commercial National Bank of Chicago, Ill., vs. Luther L. Ferris & Co.—Attachment in Aid, No. 14,401.

Satisfactory affidavit being filed in the office of the circuit clerk of said county, stating that the defendants, Luther L. Ferris, John M. Ferris and Joseph Lapham can not be found; that they secrete themselves so that process can not be served upon them, etc.; therefore, the said defendants are hereby notified that the plaintiff above named has brought suit against the defendants, in assumpsit, and that an attachment in aid of said suit has been issued out of the office of the clerk of said court against the lands, goods and chattels of said defendants for the sum of $361.05, which said suit is now pending in said court. Now, unless you, the said defendants shall plead, answer or demur to said writ, under the rules of said court at said term, the same and the allegations therein will be taken as confessed against you and each of you, and the property attached and ordered sold.

Witness my hand and seal of said court this 3d day of July, A. D. 1893.

(L. S.) E. MCCLELLAN, Circuit Clerk.
W. G. COCHRAN, Att'y for Plaintiffs.

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TREASURY DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY, WASHINGTON, June 1, 1893.

Whereas, by satisfactory evidence to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that "The National Bank of Decatur," in the city of Decatur, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, has complied with all the provisions of the statutes of the United States, required to be complied with before an association shall be authorized to commence the business of banking. Now, therefore, I, James H. Eckels, comptroller of the currency, do hereby certify that "The National Bank of Decatur," in the city of Decatur, in the county of Macon, and the state of Illinois, is authorized to commence the business of banking as provided in Section Fifty-one Hundred and Sixty-nine of the Revised Statutes of the United States.

(Seal.) In testimony whereof, witness my hand and seal of office this 1st day of June, 1893.

(Signed.) JAMES H. ECKELS,
Comptroller of the Currency.

No. 4620. jun23-2m10

STATE OF ILLINOIS } ss.
MACON COUNTY.

In the Circuit Court of said county, September Term, A. D. 1893.

George P. Jones vs. Luther L. Ferris & Co., Attachment in Aid—No. 14 460.

Satisfactory affidavit being filed in the office of the Circuit Clerk of said county, stating that the defendants Luther L. Ferris and Joseph Lapham cannot be found. That process cannot be served upon them, etc.; therefore, you, the said defendants are hereby notified that the plaintiff above named has brought suit against the defendants in assumpsit and that an attachment in aid of said suit has been issued out of the office of the clerk of said court against the lands, goods and chattels of said defendants for the sum of $2,319 76, which said suit is now pending in said court. Now, unless you, the said defendants, shall plead, answer or demur to said writ under the rules of said court at said term the same and the allegations therein, will be taken as confessed against you, and each of you, and the property attached ordered sold.

Witness my hand and seal of said court this 3d day of July A. D. 1893.

(L. S.) E. MCCLELLAN, Circuit Clerk.
W. G. Cochran, attorney for plaintiff

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Dissolution Notice.

The partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned under the name of WARREN & DURFEE, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All business as heretofore conducted, will be continued without change, by Mr. Warren, who will make all collections for, and settle all claims against the late firm.

Decatur, Ill., July 15, 1893.

JOHN K. WARREN,
BRADFORD K. DURFEE

July 15-d1w

T. F. DREW. JAS. O'MARA.

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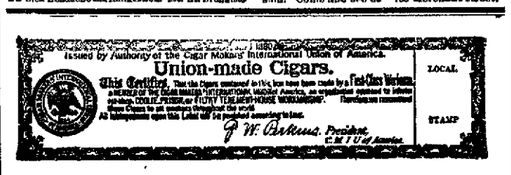

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When purchasing cigars ask for UNION LABEL CIGARS, and see that the Cigarmakers' Union Label is on the box, the cut of which you will find above. Smokers, do not be deceived by letting your dealer palm off a cheap tenement house or prison made cigar, but insist on having the Union Label Cigar, and take no other.

July 18-d6

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In effect July 8, 1893.

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FROM ST. LOUIS.	TO ST. LOUIS.
No. 10 Pass... 8:45 p m	No. 9 Pass.....6:20 a m
No. 4 Pass... 11:40 a m	No. 3 Pass.....4 15 am
No. 64 Pass...11:15 a m	No. 63 Pass.....4:00 a m
No. 62 Pass...10:10 p m	No. 65 Pass.....4:25 p m
No. 2 Pass...12:15 a m	No. 5 Pass.....3 45 p m
FROM QUINCY AND KANSAS CITY.	TO QUINCY AND KANSAS CITY.
No. 62 Pass...10:05 p m	No. 63 Pass.... 4.30 a m
No. 64 Pass...11:05 a m	No. 65 Pass.... 4 00 p m
No. 6 Pass... 6:15 a m	No. 1 Pass.... 2:07 p m
No. 8 Acc..... 7:00 p m	No. 67 Acc..... 8:40 a m
No. 70, Freight 11:05 a m	No. 71, Freight 11 55 a m

FROM TOLEDO & DETROIT.	TO TOLEDO & DETROIT
No. 62 Pass... 3:50 a m	No. 63 Pass... 8:25 a m
No. 64 Pass... 9:55 p m	No. 65 Pass...11:25 a m
No. 61 Pass... 9:50 p m	No. 63 Pass...10 15 p m
No. 67 Pass from Bement 10.30a m	No. 66 Pass to Bement... 8 15 p m

FROM CHICAGO.	TO CHICAGO.
No. 3 Pass....4:05 a m	No. 2 Pass....12.30 a m
No. 5 Pass....3:40 p m	No. 4 Pass.... 11 50 a m
No 1 Pass, ex. Sunday. 8.20 p m	No. 6 Pass, ex. Sunday 6.35 a m

ILLINOIS CENTRAL.

NORTH.	SOUTH.
No. 126 pass. ex. Sunday.....1.20 a. m	No. 122 pass ex Sun daily.....5 40 p m
No. 124 pass. daily..... 12.05 p m	No. 117 pass to Pana daily..... 4 45 a m
No. 122 pass. ex. Sunday.....5.00 p m	No. 121 pass ex Sun 10.25 a m
No. 120 pass ex. Sunday.....9.00 a m	No. 5 Pass. ex. Sunday 3 15 p m
No 104 freight, ex. Sunday 2.20 p m	
No 102 (Springfield Line) leaves, ex. Sunday. 3 15 p m	

INDIANAPOLIS, BLOOMINGTON & WESTERN.

ARRIVE.	LEAVE.
No. 1 Pass... 1.25 p m	No. 2 Pass...
No 3 Pass ... 4 p m	No. 4 Pass...
No 7 Freight	No. 8 Freight
No 9 Freight	No. 10 F

PEORIA, DECATUR & EVANSVILLE.

ARRIVE.	LEAVE.
No. 1 Pass...	No. 2 Pass...
No. 3 Pass...	No. 4 Pass...
No. 5 Pass, daily	No. 6 Pass, daily
No. 13 Freight	No. 14 Freight

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ARRIVE.	LEAVE.
No. 5 Pass...	No. 6 Pass...
No. 3 Pass...	No. 4 Pass...
No. 21 Freight	No. 22 Freight

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Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss. MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court September Term A. D. 1893.

Melvin S Miller vs Catherine Miller et al —In Chancery.

It appearing by affidavits filed in my office that the defendants, Mary Crandall and Nora Myers, are non residents of Illinois, notice is hereby given to you and each of you, the said Mary Crandall and Nora Myers, that the above named complainant has filed his amended bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof of said term, which said suit is now pending, and the summons thereon issued out of said court against each of you the above named defendants returnable on the first day of the next September term of said court to be held at the court house in the city of Decatur, Macon county, Illinois, on the fourth Monday of September, 1893, and that unless you, the said Mary Crandall and Nora Myers, shall each be and appear on the first day of said term of said court to plead, answer or demur to said amended bill of complaint, the same will be taken as confessed and a decree rendered thereof.

Dated this the 22d day of June, 1893.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk of Circuit Court.

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Master in Chancery's Sale.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss. MACON COUNTY, } In the Circuit Court.

Erie M. Shaffer et al, Ex Parte—No. 14484—Bill for Partition.

Public notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a decree of the circuit court of Macon county, in the state of Illinois, entered at the June term A. D. 1893, in the above entitled cause, I James J. Finn, Master in Chancery of said court, will on Saturday July 29, 1893, at the hour of 3 o'clock p. m. offer for sale to the highest and best bidder at a public vendue the property in said decree ordered to be sold, being described as follows, to wit: 40 feet off of the east side of lot 11, and four feet off of the west side of lot 12, all in block 1, of Yates & King's addition to the city of Decatur, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois.

TERMS OF SALE. One half cash in hand on day of sale, balance in one year. Deferred payments to bear 6 per cent interest per annum, and be secured by note and mortgage of the property sold, and also by approved personal security.

Dated this 1st day of July A. D., 1893.

JAMES J. FINN, Master in Chancery.

MILLS BROS., Solicitors. 1-d4w

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss. MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court to the September Term, A. D. 1893.

Gracy A. Milligan vs. Thomas Milligan; Divorce Etc.

A proper affidavit having been made and filed in said cause, public notice is hereby given to Thomas Milligan that Gracy A. Milligan, the complainant in the above entitled cause, has heretofore filed a bill for divorce, etc., against Thomas Milligan, and that said cause is now pending in said court to said term. That a summons issued out of said court in said cause and that the same is returnable to said term thereof to be held at the court house in the city of Decatur, in said county and state, commencing on the 25th day of September, A. D. 1893.

Now, therefore, if you, Thomas Milligan, shall fail to appear at said term of said court on the first day thereof, and to plead, answer or demur to the bill of complaint filed in said cause, the allegations contained in said bill will be taken as true and a decree by default entered against you.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

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Advertisement For Bids.

Sealed proposals will be received until noon, Saturday, July 22, 1893, by the Board of Education for doing the following work. Calcimining Marietta, Sangamon and the Jones schools, and all part of High school and ceiling of main hall. Painting the roof, outside wood work and fence of Church street school. Two coats hard oil on base boards and window sills, and one coat on rest of wood work of the four west rooms and one coat of paint on basement closets of Marietta street school. Paint outside wood work of Sangamon street, and the Jackson street, except the new addition. Two coats hard oil on base boards and window sills, and one coat on rest of wood work at Wood street. Paint halls of High school and grain wood work to correspond with the new work. Paint inside and outside wood work at Jones school. Separate bids will be required on each building, and the right is reserved to reject all bids.

E. A. GASTMAN, Clerk.

Decatur, Ill., July 15, 1893.

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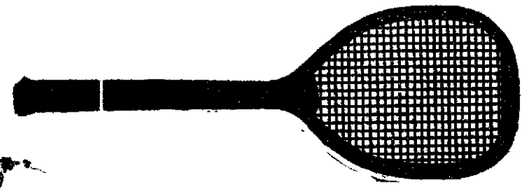

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SATURDAY EVE., JULY 22, 1893.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

DEXE & SON, tailors.

IRWIN'S Rapid Relief cures cholera morbus.

BEEF malt with celery at Dawson's Pharmacy.

THERE will be two Sunday school conventions to-morrow.

SECKY and Poison Fly paper at Dawson's, successor to Swearingen.

ONE of the best suits for $9.90 at Geo. W. Jones & Co.'s. july17-d&wtf

WALL PAPER and window shades at Conklin & Housum's, in Library Block.

SPERRELD family groceries and vegetables at Towne & Murphey's handy store, 143 South Water street.

DID you get one of those $9.90 suits yet at Geo. W. Jones & Co.'s, if not, why not? july17-d&dwtf

THE best of fruits, country butter and family groceries at Philip Kemper's store on North Water street. Telephone 198.

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ALL the talk in the world will not convince you so quickly as one trial of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve for scalds, burns, bruises, skin affection and piles.

WE are bound to sell our baby buggies—the prices are so low that we have no competitors. Bachman Bros. & Martin Co. june23-dtf

MRS. CATHERINE DOWNEY and Mrs. Wilhelmina A. Faler, of this city, have been granted original pensions through the agency of M. Shea.

JOHN YOUNG, at the REPUBLICAN office is the Decatur agent for the Remington typewriter. Call for catalogues and prices. dtf

THE game of ball at Champaign between the Cyclones and the picked nine from Decatur resulted 24 to 8 in favor of Champaign. The Cyclones will visit Decatur and will try to rub it in our boys.

You will miss it if you let those sales on all summer supplies slip you this month at Geo. W. Jones & Co.'s. july17-d&wtf

THE Warrensburg *Enterprise* says: "The machinery for the canning factory came Tuesday. It is being placed in the building as rapidly as possible. It is expected that it will be in running order by August 10th."

LITTLE vegetable health producers: DeWitt's Little Early Risers cure malarious disorders and regulate the stomach and bowels, which prevents headache and dizziness. W. F. Neisler.

ASK your neighbor what kind of a suit he got at Geo. W. Jones & Co.'s for $9.90 and come early and get one before they are all gone. july17-d&wtf

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IN the 2:50 trot at Anderson, Ind., yesterday, the Brenneman Bros.' *Magnetta*, won the race, taking the last three of five heats in 2:33, 2:21¼ and 2:24½, with Huston as the driver. *Magnetta* is one of the best of Brenneman's string of horses.

WELLS drove or bored, from two to thirty-six inches, walled with either brick or tile. For terms and prices call at C. R. Foster's grocery store, 1075 North Water street. m23-dtf

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AT Fairmount while driving across the railway in a wagon Mrs. Kate Hickman and son Edward were struck by a Wabash mail train. The wagon was ruined, Mrs. Hickman was thrown eighty feet against an elevator and dangerously if not fatally injured, and Edward escaped with some severe cuts about the head.

THE Chinese pay their doctor only so long as he keeps them in health. They believe in preventing rather than curing disease. This is sound sense, and one of the strongest recommendations of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, a medicine which not only cures diseases but prevents them.

LAST night Ed Graham, a stranger in the city, made an unsuccessful attempt to board a freight train on the Wabash, near the Shellabarger mill. He fell and broke his collar bone. Officer Burch found him, and Dr. Heil reduced the fracture. To-day Graham, who is a moulder out of work, will be taken to the poor farm where he will remain until he is able to travel.

DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cures piles.
DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cures burns
DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cures sores.
DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cures ulcers

A CHICAGO man has patented a device which it is claimed will prove a cheap solution of the garbage question in large cities. It is a household garbage crematory. It is about the size of a barrel and is placed in some convenient locality about the yard or house and into it the garbage is dumped until full when a small fire is built under it. By a clever device the garbage is first dried and then burned until nothing remains but ashes. The retort is connected by a stove pipe with the chimney of the house and there are no offensive odors emitted. By putting upon each householder the work of cremating his own garbage it is calculated the city of Chicago will save $1,000,000 annually.

OPENING OF THE NEW BANK.

The First Depositor is a Woman—Money on the Counter.

Decatur has its fifth bank. It is the Farmers' Bank, and is located at 123 East Main street near the corner of Lincoln Square, in a well-lighted, well-ventilated room. The new bank was opened this (Saturday) morning promptly at nine o'clock, without special ceremony, and business began by Mrs. Joseph Bixby, sister of the cashier, opening an account and receiving a book, after making a deposit of several hundred dollars. Mrs. Bixby was anxious to go on record as the first depositor, and her ambition was gratified. Quite a number of business men and citizens dropped in at the opening and during the day. All were cordially welcomed, and everybody had an opportunity to see money on the counter and inspect the handsome room.

The style of the firm is L. B. Caner & Co., and the gilt sign over the door reads "Farmers' Bank." It is a private institution. L. B. Caner, who is a large landowner, was formerly president of the Citizens' Bank, and is still a stockholder in the Citizens' National. Hon. B. K. Durfee, another member of the firm, is the present superintendent of the Illinois Insurance Department. He will have his Decatur office at the bank, and will give the banking business a large share of his attention; Lewis E. Eyman, formerly teller at the Citizens' Bank, is on duty as cashier, and S. T. Nesbitt is the bookkeeper. All are financially interested in the new bank, and they are ready to do a general banking business.

The new room is a model of neatness and convenience. The walls and ceilings are beautifully frescoed and the floor painted and partly covered with linoleum. The pretty oak furniture was made in Peoria. The big safe is in full view, and in front at the right is a railing which encloses the space set apart for the chief manager of the bank. At the rear is a pleasantly appointed consultation room.

WILL FIGHT AT ROBY.

The Corbett-Mitchell Contest is Secured by the Columbian Club.

Unless Governor Matthews interferes, the Corbett-Mitchell fight will come off at Roby in December. President O'Malley, of the Columbian Athletic Club, has received cable advices that Mitchell has signed articles to meet Corbett for the $45,000 purse offered by the club, and will not treat with the Coney Island Club. This makes it look as though the Chicago club had finally secured the big fight, and Corbett announces that as soon as his present engagement is filled he will begin his training at Willowdale Farm, Will J. Davis' country place. Judge Newton, of the Coney Island Club, has apparently given up the contest for the big fight, as he telegraphed to O'Malley asking him to reserve the best box in the arena for the Corbett-Mitchell go. The securing of the match by the Columbian Club is entirely due to the fact that President O'Malley was shrewd enough to send Jack McAuliffe to England to negotiate with Mitchell, with whom he is on the most intimate terms.

Sunday School Conventions.

The following is the program to be observed at the S. S. convention at Westminster Chapel Sunday, July 23, at 3:30 p. m.:

Scripture reading and prayer..... J. E. Stoultz
General Topic..... Luke 14:23
"And the Lord said unto the servant, Go out into the highways and hedges, and compel them to come in, that my house may be filled."
1. Who Shall Go?..... Mr. A. H. Mills
Song—"Behold the fields are white," p. 110.
2. Compel Them to Come In.. Rev. C. E. Torley
Song—"The whole wide world," p. 100.
3. The Feast..... Rev. E. H. Oneal, D. D.
Song—"Having done all to stand"
Short talks of from 3 to 5 minutes.
..... Led by J. H. Gorin
Closing Song—"Blest be the tie," p. 443.
Benediction.

The following program will be given at Sargent Chapel on Sunday evening, July 23, at 7:45:

General Topic..... Luke 14:23
"And the Lord said unto the servant, Go out into the highways and hedges, and compel them to come in, that my house may be filled."
Song—Coronation.
Scripture Reading..... J. E. Saxton
Prayer..... Geo. T. Tucker
Song.
DISCUSSION OF GENERAL TOPIC.
Come..... N. W. Woodford
Song.
Go..... J. G. Badenhausen
Song.
Where..... R. G. Wells
Song.
What for..... C. C. Radcliff
Who is responsible if the house is not filled?
..... J. E. Gorin
What are you doing to help fill the house?
Song.... "God be with you till we meet again."
Collection.
Benediction.

Picnic at D. A. Maffit's Place.

A very pleasant picnic was given last evening by Mrs. Samuel Young, Mrs. J. M. Marsh and Mrs. Ed. Carter. The party went to D. A. Maffit's place, south of town, in the afternoon and at 7 o'clock supper was served. The guests were Mrs. Samuel Young and children, Misses Bessie Young and Ethel Hanna, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Curtis, B. B. Tuttle, Miss Mollie Tuttle, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Bartholomew, Mrs. Shockley, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Maffit, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Marsh, Edward Carter and family, Mrs. I. R. Mills and daughters, Mrs. A. R. Montgomery and daughters, Mrs. Antrim, Misses Dessie Hamsher and Gladys Smith.

O. E. S. Picnic.

A number of Eastern Star young ladies gave a picnic last night at Riverside Park. It was spoiled up by Misses Blanche Allsup and Mina Nicholson. A picnic supper was served at 6 o'clock. Those in the party were: Misses Blanche Allsup, Mina Nicholson, Ora Cutherbertson, Belle Steele, Della Herring of Springfield, Mabel Roberts, May Cochran and Anna Cochran; Jerry Donahue, George L. Weaver, Harry Haines, Dr. Eddy, Joseph P. G. Elkin, L. Carlton King, O. O. McKenzie and Leo Heilbrun.

Going Away.

Mr. H. F. Houghton, trainmaster for the Wabash at Decatur, has been tendered the position of assistant division superintendent for the Indianapolis and Chicago branch of the Big Four system. He will probably resign, and accept the new place at increased salary, with larger opportunities for the display of his ability as a railroad man.

AND "J. N." IS DEAD.

The Demise of a Widely Known and Very Curious Character.

Champaign Gazette.

The "Immortal J. N." is dead. This will be sad news to the people of this vicinity, where this peculiar character was well known. He died on Monday, July 17, at Wheeling, W. Va., without having "removed the pressure," as he was always claiming to do, and thus ends the career of one of the most noted wanderers in the country. He was past 65 years of age. During the war his mind became unsettled and since then he has traveled around from state to state and town to town under the impression that he had powers which no other man possessed, and it is was probably true in some respects. So far as is known he never paid railroad fare, but rode on the best and fastest trains. He had power enough over the railroad managers, and from fear of having him "keep the pressure on," the conductors never insulted him by asking him for his fare. He never paid hotel bills, for he did not believe in it, but he did believe in stopping at the best and always did so. When Col. Sayre first took charge of the Carter House, "J. N." was among the list of guests. He remained a day or so, and bade the Colonel adieu, without mentioning his bill. The colonel not knowing him, spoke of it, however, whereupon "J. N." told him that he was going about the country in a noble work, and thought the colonel should show his generosity. This the colonel did, and threw off one half of the bill. "Now Mr. Landlord," said J. N., "never in my life did I allow a man to excel me in generosity, so I will throw off the other half." At this he walked out, and the next time he was a guest at the Carter he was not asked to pay his bill. He was always a great friend of the newspapers and there are few editors in the middle and western states who did not know him. In his time he wrote more communications to editors, on postal cards, than have yet been written about the World's Fair in the Chicago papers. It has been nearly a year since he made his last visit to this city. His proper name was J. N. Free, and his home was at Canal Dover, Ohio. It is said that in early life he was an attorney of considerable ability and enjoyed a good practice. He has a brother, now a lawyer, in Columbus, Ohio. Few acquaintances of the "Immortal J. N.," however, knew his surname, but from Pittsburg to the Missouri river there was no other man who was so widely known. He might walk into a hotel or newspaper office anywhere in all that region, at any hour, and he would almost certainly meet somebody who would promptly call him by name.

THE EDNA GOLD MINE.

Stock Still Selling at 10 Cents a Share on Payments.

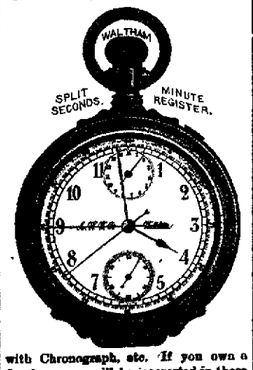
The following editorial reference to the Edna Gold Mine is taken from the *Western Banker*, July number, published at Chicago:

Another very promising property is that of the Edna Mining and Milling Co., which can be safely recommended as a prime investment. This property is situated on Sugar Loaf Mountain in Boulder county, Colorado, and in close proximity to the famous Smoky Hill mine, which is a regular gold producer of great value, and other good paying properties, such as the Potter, Livingstone, Pine Forest and others. It has good hoisting machinery, etc., on the ground, and it is being rapidly developed. The main shaft is now about eighty feet deep and in paying ore. The company contemplates to sink until the same vein or lead is struck as that which is the source of profit to the owners of the Smoky, and as the Edna is less than 1,000 feet west of the said property, indications are that at a reasonable depth this will be done. They have already several good mill runs, and the property looks very promising. The company placed on the market 25,000 shares at 10 per share for development work. The capital stock is 200,000 shares at $1 per share, with 100,000 shares set aside as Treasury stock. The company confidently expect that the sale of 25,000 shares will place the Edna on a paying basis. The management of the same is vested in the following officers: Messrs. A. F. Haffey, President; Frank Strautt, vice-President; W. O. Nagley, Secretary, and C. E. Dey, Treasurer, with offices at 311 Mining Exchange Building, Denver. All these gentlemen are known as reliable and representative business men, whose names are a guarantee for the honest and intelligent administration of affairs. A block of Edna stock purchased at the present ground floor prices will be found just a trifle more remunerative and safer than U. S. government bonds.

The Decatur agent to-day is in receipt of information from Secretary Nagely to the effect that the contract has been let to sink the mine 50 feet deeper. A level will be struck at once at a depth of 60 feet, and all development work will be kept up steadily. Secretary Nagely has gone to the mine to remain a month or six weeks.

Before the Races

come and see our line of *Horse Timers*, Split Seconds, Five-Minute Repeaters,



with Chronograph, etc. If you own a fine horse you will be interested in these goods. OTTO E. CURTIS & BRO.

Wanted

Men with some capital, who are wide awake and know a good thing when they see it, to try one of Huffman's Cabaret or Little Rip cigars. They please the most fastidious epicures. Sold by all leaders. Manufactured at Huffman's North End Cigar Store, 1065 N. Water street. june13-dtf

COUNTY FAIRS THIS YEAR.

Counties in Illinois in Which Fairs Will Be Held and the Dates Fixed.

The state board of agriculture has compiled the following list of county fairs to be held in Illinois this year:

Adams	Camp Point, July 31—August 4
Boone	Belvidere, no fair
Brown	Mt. Sterling, August 7-11
Bureau	Princeton, Sept. 5-8
Carroll	Mt. Carroll, Sept. 12-15
Champaign	Champaign, Aug. 29-Sept. 1
Champaign	Homer, August 8-11
Christian	Pana, August 29-Sept. 2
Coles	Charleston, Sept. 5-9
Cumberland	Greenup, Oct. 3-7
DeKalb	Sandwich, Sept. 18-23
DeWitt	Farmer City, August 15-18
Douglas	Camargo, Sept. 12-15
Edgar	Paris, August 28-Sept. 1
Edwards	Albion, Sept. 19-22
Effingham	Watson, Sept. 19-22
Ford	Piper City, no fair
Franklin	Benton
Fulton	Canton, Sept. 19-22
Gallatin	Shawneetown, August 22-26
Hamilton	McLeansboro, August 15-18
Hancock	Carthage, Sept. 4-8
Hancock	LaHarpe, Aug. 28-Sept. 1
Henry	Kewanee, Sept. 11-15
Jackson	Carbondale, may not hold fair
Jasper	Newton, Sept. 19-22
Jefferson	Mt. Vernon, Sept. 12-15
Jersey	Jerseyville, Oct. 10-13
Jo Daviess	Warren, Sept. 19-22
Jo Daviess	Galena, Sept. 26-29
Kankakee	Kankakee, no fair
Kendall	Yorkville, no fair
Lake	Libertyville, Sept. 19-22
LaSalle	Mendota, Aug. 29-Sept. 1
Livingston	Fairbury, Sept. 4-8
Logan	Atlanta, Sept. 5-8
Macon	Macon, Sept. 4-7
Macoupin	Carlinville, Sept. 5-8
Marion	Centralia, Sept. 12-15
Massac	Metropolis, Sept. 12-15
McDonough	Bushnell, no fair
McDonough	Macomb, Aug. 21-25
McHenry	Woodstock
McLean	Saybrook, Aug. 28 Sept. 1
Menard	Petersburg, Aug. 29 Sept 1
Mercer	Aledo, Sept. 19-22
Montgomery	Hillsboro, Aug. 15-18
Morgan	Jacksonville, Sept. 26-29
Moultrie	Sullivan, Aug. 29 Sept. 1
Ogle	Oregon
Peoria	Elmwood, Aug. 29 Sept. 1
Perry	Pinckneyville, Oct. 3-6
Piatt	Monticello, Aug. 21-25
Pike	Griggsville, Aug. 15-18
Pope	Golconda, Oct. 4-7
Richland	Olney, no fair
Saline	Eldorado, Aug. 21-25
Saline	Harrisburg, Aug. 15-18
Sangamon	Springfield, no fair
Schuyler	Rushville, Aug. 14-18
Shelby	Shelbyville, Sept. 5-9
Stark	Toulon, no fair
Stark	Wyoming, Aug. 29 Sept. 1
St. Clair	Belleville, no fair
Tazewell	Delavan, Aug. 22-26
Tazewell	Mackinaw, Aug. 29 Sept. 1
Union	Anna, Aug. 29 Sept. 1
Union	Warren, Sept 19-22
Vermilion	Hoopston, Aug. 29 Sept. 1
Vermilion	Catlin, Aug. 15-18
Warren	Monmouth, Sept. 11-15
White	Carmi, Sept. 5-9
Whiteside	Morrison, Sept. 5-8
Winnebago	Rockford, Sept. 4-8
Woodford	El Paso, no fair

Getting Rich on Squeezing Pensioners.

WASHINGTON, July 20.—The special examination division of the bureau of pensions has kept record since May 1 of the amount involved in the first payment in every case rejected. The record shows that for the months of May and June on these prima facia cases, which have been allowed had they not been specially investigated, the first payment would amount to $150,279. The expenses of the special examination division for two months amounted to $36,895, leaving a net saving to the department of $113,384. To this amount may be added $8,504, which was recovered in cash by special examiners and covered into the treasury, making total net savings to the government of $116,988.

Prepare Yourself.

The present cool, delightful days and nights are not to last very long if the weather service is to be believed. A hot wave is on the way hither from the west and may be expected to roll in upon the city within forty-eight hours. Helena, Mont., Tuesday had the hottest experience in fourteen years, the mercury standing at 100 degrees at 3 p. m., and remaining at 99 degrees for three hours. Severe storms in the middle region are not unlikely to follow the torrid wave from the Rockies. That is, if the warm weather does not run on a sidetrack somewhere.

Glass Blowers Show.

The W. M. Thompson Australian Glass Blowers' Show and Museum is located in the tent on the vacant lot on North Water street, north of the First M. E. church. The museum will be open every day and evening, and visitors will have the privilege of seeing the glass blowers at work. Everything made is given away to all who call. There is a greater and better variety of animals in the museum than were shown by Mr. Thompson on the occasion of his former visit to Decatur. Take the children. Admission, 10 cents.

EDNA GOLD AND SILVER MINING STOCK

ON SALE AT 10 CENTS A SHARE.

Those wishing to make a fortunate investment in mining stock should call at the REPUBLICAN office and take shares in the Edna Gold and Silver Mining company stock. It can be had for the next 30 days at 10 cents a share in blocks of 100 or more, and payments can be made weekly or monthly. Money is needed for the development of the mine which is now in pay ore over 100 feet deep. In five or six months the dividends will be 10 to 15 per cent a month on the dollar. The mine is located in Boulder county, Colo., and is one of the best properties in the state. The capital stock is only $200,000. If you want to strike it rich buy Edna mining stock. W. G. NAGELY, secretary.—has established an agency in Decatur. J. J. H. Young, agent. june5-d1m

Special Notice.

After to-day (July 17) our cars will stop only on the opposite crossings, switches and in the middle of long blocks. We do this in order to be on time and give good service. CITY ELECTRIC RY CO. W. L. FERGUSON, Gen. Manager. 17-d6

BLUE GRASS Carriage Shop, one block east of Shellabarger's mill, Cerro Gordo street, has a fine line of Surreys, Buggies, Road and Spring Wagons. Do a general line of repairing, repainting, overhauling, &c. Come and see this line of new work and get rock bottom prices. april7-d&wtf

Tan, Heliotrope, French Terra Cotta, Smoked Pearl.

LATEST COLORS IN INGRAINS, with beautiful 20 and 30 inch Friezes to match. Do not be misled—they have not gone out of style.

THE ONLY SPECIAL SATURDAY NIGHT SALE

—IS AT—

JOHNSTON'S,

151 NORTH WATER STREET, DECATUR.

WE began a series of "Saturday Night Sales" and now we find other stores trying to imitate us; it means that we are leaders. To-night we will offer Special Inducements all over our store.

Read the List--Everything Just as Advertised.

3,000 yds. of 7c Unbleached Muslin at 4¾c yd.
2,000 yds. of Remnants 10 and 12½c Outings at 7c.
500 yds. of Wide Sheeting at 19c, real value, 25c.
300 yds. 7c Crash Toweling at 5c.
Lawns, were 7½c yd., cut to 5c yd.
Best Table Oil-Cloth on sale at 17c yd.
250 Sun Umbrellas, regular $2.50 quality, on sale at $1.48 to-night.
25 Chenille Table Covers on sale at $1.95, value $3.50.
Ladies' 40c Silk Mitts go at 25c to-night.
Ladies' Vests at 8⅓, 10, 12½, 15, 20, 25c, extra values.
Ladies' Fast Black Hose at 10, 12½, 15, 25, 35c.
Ladies' Tan Hose at 15, 25, 35, 50c.
Children's Tan Hose at 12½ and 15c to-night.

SHOES.

See our Ladies' Genuine Dongola Button Shoes at $1.48, $1.98, $2.48 per pair, Oxfords at $1.25, $1.35, $1.48.

CLOSING OUT a lot of Men's and Boys' Suits at Less than Cost to close stock entirely out.

CARPET SALE all next week; Cut Prices on all Carpets.

CHAS. T. JOHNSTON,

151 North Water Street.

KEEP COOL!

The proper way to keep cool is to provide yourself with suitable clothing. Our stock of Hot Weather Clothing and Furnishings for this season is the largest and most varied we have ever shown.

Skeleton Make Coats and Vests,

In Alpaca, Serge, Mohair, Flannel, Drap d'ete and unfinished worsted materials, Black, Blue and Tan Shades, in slim, stout, extra long and regular make.

Fancy Vests,

In Silk, Worsted and Wash Goods, double and single breasted.

UNDERWEAR AND HOSIERY,

in Endless Variety.

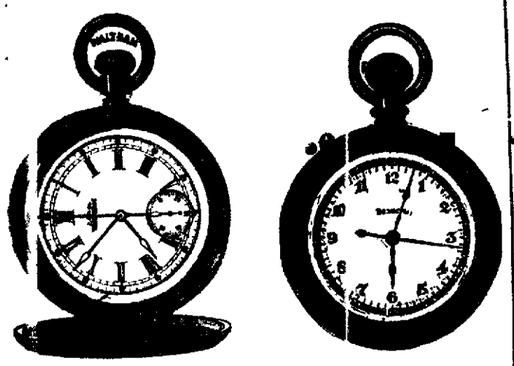
Negligee Shirts,

Laundried, Half Laundried and SOFT with

STRAW HATS

A Complete Line, in All the Latest Braids.

CHEAP CHAP!



BEFORE THE RACES

Commence, See Our Line of

HORSE TIMERS, SPLIT SECONDS, 5 Minute Repeaters With Chronograph, Etc.

If you own a fine horse you will be interested in these goods.

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Jewelers and Dealers in Fine China

FURNITURE!

During July we will make

SPECIAL LOW PRICES

On Everything to Reduce Stock.

EASY PAYMENTS, OR CASH.

HARRY FISK,

Court House Block.

LAWN TENNIS

Full line of the BEST GOODS. SPECIAL RATES made to clubs. We have also some EXTRA FINE RACKETS that we are selling at greatly reduced prices. CROQUET—4, 6 and 8 Ball Sets Professional Sets, with Nine-Inch Mallets.

HAMMOCKS! HAMMOCKS! at all prices.

J. Edward Saxton

POST OFFICE BOOK STORE.

NATATORIUM ❋❋ RIVERSIDE PARK.

TAKE A REFRESHING BATH.

The Natatorium is supplied with clear and beautiful Spring water, heated to the proper temperature.

The Natatorium is open to the public every day and evening.

BATHING HOURS.

Children ..... 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Men and Boys ..... 1 to 5 and 7 to 10 p. m.
..... 5 to 7 p. m.

TERMS.

..... 25c
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KEEP OFF CHOLERA

By Cleaning up And Using Disinfectants.

We Keep the Best to be Had

KING & WOOD, Druggists.

SATURDAY EVE., JULY 22, 1893.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

Great Clearance Sale.

We have inaugurated a great clearance sale of all our odds and ends in china and glass. We have cut the price in two and we want you to come and see what we have got to offer you to close out these goods. It is not "rubbish," but fresh, new goods in broken lots.

E. D. BARTHOLOMEW.

DREW & SON, tailors.

DEAD shot fly paper at Irwin's.

TEETH, $7—Hoskins & Moore, dentists

USE Irwin's Toilet Cream for sunburn.

IRWIN'S Blackberry balsam is a reliable remedy.

IF you would be happy, smoke the Cubanola.

A NEW line of fine tablets at Dawson's book store.

HAMMOCKS at Dawson's book store, successor to Robinson.

FOR cholera morbus use Irwin's Rapid Relief Pain Cure.

WANTED—A pug puppy. Address H. W., Central House. 18 3t

SEE bargain column on bicycles, No. 582 North Monroe street.

THE Grand Opera House cigars, made by Keck & Weigand, are the best in town. mar25dtf

BUY the Little Rose and Bouquet cigars, made by Joseph Michl.

WALL PAPER and window shades at Conklin & Housum's, in Library Block.

YOU can buy a rattan baby buggy with steel wheels for $3.50 at Bachman Bros. & Martin Co.'s special sale. jq28-dtf

Boom Decatur by using White Loaf Flour.

DELICIOUS Ice Cream Soda at Dawson's.

ALL our 12 and $15 suits go at $9.90 this month. Call early. Geo. W. Jones & Co. july 11-d&wtf

THOSE fancy vests and negligee shirts on sale at Cheap Charley's store are beauties. Buy there.

WE guarantee Monarch mixed paints equal to any paint in the city. At Dawson's, successor to Swearingen.

THE funeral of the late Mrs. Harvey is in progress this afternoon from the residence of her father, O. Z. Greene.

SEE the big ape at the Thompson glass blowing show and museum in the tent north of the First M. E. church.

WHITE LOAF FLOUR The Best.

REV B. F. STEPHENS, an aged ex-Baptist preacher, was instantly killed by Vanda in train No. 21, nine miles west of Marshall. He is very deaf and, it is supposed, did not hear the train which dashed around a curve on him as he was walking on the track.

"I was prostrated with a severe bilious complaint," writes Erastus Southworth, of Bath, Me. After vainly trying a number of remedies, I was finally induced to take Ayer's Pills. I had scarcely taken two boxes when I was completely cured."

THE awards at the prize drill, Illinois division encampment, Sons of Veterans, were as follows: First prize, Class A, Company F, Chicago, Captain C. B. Funk, $100; Class B, Company I, Springfield, Captain J. C. Grimes, $75; second prize, Company M, Peoria, Captain T. J. Simpson, $50.

IF you want clean, quiet, convenient rooms at $1 per day, in modern solid brick building, five blocks north of World's Fair (10 minutes' walk) go or write to Hotel Gonden, 5212 Lake Ave., Chicago. Everything new. Near restaurants, fair and city trains. Good place for ladies. Refer to Young Bros. & Marie Co., of Decatur. 21-32

The Methodist Centennial.

The committee of ministers having in charge the arrangements for the centennial celebration of Methodism in Illinois are steadily closing the details for the event. Springfield has been selected as the location and November 6 for the opening date. Bishop Merrill will deliver the opening sermon. It is stated that the first sermon ever delivered by a Methodist in Illinois was preached 100 years ago by a Rev. Mr. Young at a place then called New Design in Monroe county. It is proposed that this celebration shall be in consonance with the importance of the event to be remembered, and it will be a cardinal event in Illinois Methodism. Springfield will take care of her guests comfortably and well.

Will Visit His Native Land.

Capt. Chris Riebsame, who recently disposed of his saloon, intends taking a long and complete rest. He has been a sufferer from rheumatic trouble for several years and has spent a great deal of money visiting various celebrated baths and springs. In about a fortnight he will depart for Germany with the intention of visiting Kissingen and other places where the health-restoring waters ever flow. Germany is Mr. Riebsame's native land and he will spend a good portion of the time that he will be away with relatives and friends at Speyer and other places in that country. He visited there a few years ago.—*Bloomington Pantagraph.*

Dimmit Dead.

Rev. J. H. Dimmit, a superannuated preacher of the Metodist Episcopal church and a pioneer of Illinois, Iowa and Texas, died at Mount Pleasant, Io., recently. He was buried from Bethel church, near Griggsville, Ill., in the neighborhood where he was reared and where he resided many years. The deceased was one of the best known men in Central Illinois. Dr. W. N. McElroy of Springfield preached the funeral sermon.

LINN & SCRUGGS DRY GOODS & CARPET COMPANY 1893 LINN & SCRUGGS DRY GOODS & CARPET COMPANY.

MIDSUMMER CLEARING SALE!

Another Big Cut in Dry Goods.

ALL GOODS SOLD REGARDLESS OF COST. SPECIAL SALES IN ALL DEPARTMENTS.

800 pairs Ladies' Kid Gloves, odd sizes, laced and buttoned, formerly sold at 75c and $1.00; clearing sale, 25c a pair.

175 pairs Ladies' and Misses' Corsets, slightly soiled and odd sizes; they were sold formerly at 50c and 75c; clearing sale, 9c a pair.

180 pairs Ladies' and Misses' Corsets and Waists, slightly soiled, odd sizes, formerly sold at 50c, 75c and $1.00; clearing price, 25c a pair.

1,000 yards Neck Ruching in five different styles, formerly sold at 5 and 10c; at 1c a yard.

2,000 yards Neck Ruching, in silk chiffon, also Skirt Ruching in black and white, greatest bargain ever offered. They were formerly sold at 25c, 35c and 50c a yard.

300 Ladies' Collars, slightly soiled, 10c each.

37 pieces Manchester Best Wool Challies, formerly sold at 18c; clearing price, 12½c.

26-inch Ladies' Silk Sun Umbrellas, $1.39.

100 dozen Ladies' Fast Black Hose at 15c a pair.

50 Boys' Fancy Shirt Waists, sizes from 4 to 14 years, at 15c each.

27 doz. Ladies' Cotton Waists, with jaba fronts as well as plaited fronts and back—splendid styles—clearing price 39c.

Children's Muslin Underwear 25c.

Ladies' Linen Eaton Fronts, with collar and cuffs to match, formerly sold at 75c, at 49c a set.

Ladies' Eaton Velvet Jackets, formerly sold at $8.00 and $10; clearing price, $4.98.

Ladies' Gingham Suits, 89c.

Special lot Ladies' Shirt Waists, 49c.

Children's White Dresses, 4 to 9 years, 25c.

Fancy Lambrequin Shelf Felt in all the fancy colors, formerly sold at 75c and $1.00 a yard, at 25c.

Best Toil du Nord, worth 12½c, at 8½c.

Park Hill Zephyrs, worth 20c, at 12½c a yard.

Satin Finished Calicos, worth 8c, at 5c.

5,000 Remnants Cotton Dress Fabrics, from 5c a yard up.

Ladies' 8-button Suede Mousquetaire Gloves, 25c a pair.

Children's Fancy Hose, 5c a pair.

Children's Sailor Hats, 19c.

Ladies' and Misses' All Silk Mull Hats, in cardinal, black, beige, cream, light blue, pink and navy, formerly sold at $1.98; clearing sale, 98c.

Misses' All Silk Alpine Hats, 49c.

Children's Fancy and White Hats and Sun Bonnets, formerly sold at 75c; clearing sale, 49c.

Children's Lawn Hats, 25c.

Infants' Bibs, two for 5c.

Ladies' "Columbian," "Empire," "Eulalia" and "Duchess of India" Collars and Cuffs. The above are all new styles this season and formerly sold at 29c to 50c a set; clearing sale, 19c a set.

Men's Lisle Driving Gloves at 25c a pair.

Men's Fancy Puff Bosom Shirts, 88c.

Special lot Men's Ties at 9c

All our 75c, $1.00 and $1.25 Ties, in one special case for Saturday only clearing price, 39c.

100 dozen Boys' Madras Shirt Waists, formerly sold at 29c, 33c and 40c, clearing price, 25c.

Mosquito Net, all colors, 25c a bolt

Extra large Turkish Bath Towels $1.00 a dozen.

Stephens' All Linen Crash, 4½c a yard.

Lewistown 10-4 Crochet Bed Spreads 69 cents.

Palm Leaf Fans, 1c each, 6 for 5c

Fancy Japanese Fans, formerly sold at 19c, 25c and 30c, clearing sale, 12½c.

OUR REMNANT SALE STILL CONTINUES.

Prices the Same as Last Week.

SATURDAY, Between 6 and 10 O'Clock P. M. 2,000 CAKES WHITE AND MOTTLED CASTILE SOAP, ONE CENT A CAKE. Limit of Five Cakes to a Customer.

AGAIN THE "SUNDAY SUN."

It was Put on Sale in Decatur To-Day by R. D. Johnson.

The old familiar cry, "Sunday Sun," was heard on the streets of the city this morning, and nickels flowed into the hands of the chief manager and the boys under his control.

R. D. Johnson, of Peoria, is the name of the young man who began business in Decatur this morning with 1000 copies of the paper. In a chat with a REPUBLICAN reporter Mr. Johnson said in substance: "We are in it again, and we are here to stay. I have 1000 copies of the paper, and the people are hungry for them. Decatur has a column in the *Sun* to-day; it is a little mild this week, but possibly 'our man' will get up his matter in livelier style next week. We must go a little slow at first." It was suggested that possibly the authorities might make it warm for him, to which Johnson replied: "Oh, no they won't; they can't stop us." The point was made that the sale of the paper was stopped in Decatur, and that Preston and Strohm were indicted. "Oh, well," replied Johnson, "you haven't the same mayor now, have you?"

The police are making no effort to interfere with the sale of the paper. This forenoon Officer Leach stopped a boy and glanced over the Decatur column of the *Sun*. He gave the paper back, and the boy passed on, crying "Sunday Sun."

Perhaps the war on the paper will be renewed. Possibly not.

BRINKERHOFF MADE ACTUARY.

State Superintendent Durfee Makes the Appointments.

B. K. Durfee, of Decatur, state superintendent of insurance, has appointed Colonel J. J. Brinkerhoff to the position of actuary of the new department. Col. Brinkerhoff is a Republican, has served for years under Republican rule as chief of the insurance department in the auditor's office. He was relieved from this place when Auditor Gore appointed B. V. Hubbard, of Chicago. Later, when Mr. Hubbard was relieved, Col. Brinkerhoff was reinstated by Mr. Gore, and has now received this promotion. His qualifications for the place are known to be exceptionally fine, and it is believed that Mr. Durfee's action will give general satisfaction.

Old Settlers' Day.

The members of the executive committee of the Macon County Old Settlers' Association held a business meeting today at the city council room. Those present were J. R. Gorin, J. Y. Braden, J. D. Tait, John Wilson, J. A. Turpin and C. H. Gerver.

It was decided to hold the next annual reunion of the old settlers at Riverside Park on Thursday, August 17th.

J. R. Gorin, J. D. Tait and M. Elson were designated to make arrangements with the street railway company for the use of the Park.

Mr. Gorin was appointed to secure a speaker for the day.

Committee on programme—J. Y. Braden, John Wilson and J. D. Tait. On motion Chairman Gorin was added to the committee.

Committee to suggest names of officers for the coming year—C. H. Gerver, John Wilson and J. A. Turpin.

The committee has made arrangements with the street car company by which farmers and others may drive into the park at the northeast corner and hitch their horses to wagons and fences, or anything else except the trees.

S. McBAIRN has removed his office from the Citizen's National Bank building to 215 North Main street.

COME AND GONE.

Mrs G. D. Rodney, the Walkist, and Her Stay in Decatur.

Selling Photos at 50 Cents Each—Crowds Greet the Plucky Pedestrian.

Mrs. G. D. Rodney, accompanied by her husband, Guard Holliday, R. L. Beveridge, F. M. Kele, Lewis Hart and Ben J. Shockley, arrived at the Union depot at 5:15 last evening, and the plucky lady received a hurrah reception. All along the railway track from Monroe street east to the depot the people gathered in swarms to see the female pedestrian go by. There were women, children, young men, old men and young ladies out to see Mrs. Rodney, and they braved the glare of the sun until the woman sped on out of sight. Eugene Boone thought he could keep step with her with ease, but he had to weaken before he got to Water street. Mrs. Rodney walked along in the center of the track with a guard at the right and the left and a man in the front at the left to keep the curious crowd out of the way. The lady is 5 feet 6 inches tall, rather slender, fairly good-looking, weighs 104½ pounds, blue eyes and is considerably sunburned, caused by her constant exposure for nearly 60 days. Her health is good, and in conversation she is pleasant and agreeable. She has no children. The party registered at the Central House last evening and took supper there. In the crush in the office and through the halls of the hotel, Mr. Rodney in trying to reach his wife's room got into an altercation with a colored porter. He was knocked down by Rodney, and Officer Lee arrested the pugilistic pedestrian, who got his release by the payment of a fine. The party had intended to stop at the Hotel Long, but different arrangements were made. Mrs. Rodney who was suffering slightly with a sprained hip spent the night with Conductor Beveridge and family, where it was quiet and where she could be free from annoyance by the curious crowds. She arose this morning greatly refreshed and to-day she has been about town with her husband and Mr. Beveridge selling photographs of herself at 50 cent each. She sat for a negative at the Nicholson gallery, and subsequently visited Riverside Park. The sale of the pictures at 50 cents is a little slow.

This afternoon at 3 o'clock Mrs. Rodney and her party left the Union depot on the tramp to Bement, 20 miles away. They will stop there over night, and go up the Chicago branch of the Wabash to the city on the lake.

A REPUBLICAN reporter had an interview with Mrs. Rodney this afternoon. She talked freely but modestly about her achievement. She said: "My home is in Chicago, at the Clifton House. This is my husband. I have no children. I was born in Iowa. On a wager I walked from New Orleans to Chicago, and I got into this walk through a wager made by members of the Elite club of Chicago. They thought I could not walk from Galveston to Chicago, 1346 miles, in 76 days. I thought I could. The conditions imposed were that I should walk every step of the way, and besides meeting all the expenses of myself and party from the sale of photographs I am to have $500 in cash on reaching Chicago. I started from Galveston on May 16th, and under the agreement I had 76 days in which to reach Chicago. That will be August 1st. I hope to get there by July 27th, and I think I will if I can get two or three cloudy days. I took this route from the start: Galveston to Houston over the Santa Fe road; Houston to Dallas over the Texas Central; Dallas to Paris over the Santa Fe; and Paris to St. Louis over the San Francisco road; St. Louis to Chicago over the Wabash. Since I have been walking I have lost eleven days on account of bad weather and sickness. I will reach Chicago at the latest by August 1st, and will then have been 65 days walking. I think I can cut it down to 62 days. I have worn out seven pairs of easy walking shoes, and my husband and guard have been equally severe on shoe leather. I can make over five miles in an hour but do not care to sustain that speed in July. I am not a professional and walk very little at home, but when I get to the World's Fair I intend to walk all over the grounds and not pay a penny to be carted about in a chair. I think I can stand it."

Mrs. Rodney carries a knapsack on her back, weight 26 pounds, when she is on the walk, and she also possesses a 32-calibre revolver. She knows how to use it. Mr. Rodney and Mr. Holliday are also well armed.

GONE TO THE JURY

The Verdict in the Notorious Newby Case Close at Hand.

The arguments in the William Newby pension case, which trial has excited so much interest in Decatur, were closed at Springfield this forenoon, and the instructions were given to the jury this afternoon. The jury took the case at 2 o'clock this afternoon. At 2:45 it was reported that the jury would probably agree upon a verdict within 30 minutes. It is generally believed that the verdict will be a victory for Newby.

All the evidence in the Newby trial in the United States District court, Springfield, was in yesterday and several of the attorneys addressed the jury.

CONTRADICTORY TESTIMONY.

The closing testimony in the case did little to shift the weight of evidence for and against the claimant, as summed up in these dispatches yesterday. The reading of the affidavit made by defendant to Pension Examiner Holmes at the time of the filing of the application for back pension was the most interesting event of the remarkable trial. The purpose of the government in introducing the sworn statement of the defendant was to demonstrate to the jury that the man who made it was gifted with a good memory of dates and events, and could not possibly be the half-demented creature that counsel for the prisoner claimed the alleged Newby was when "discovered" by his son and other relatives in the White county poor house two years ago. In some particulars Newby's story dovetailed with the evidence submitted by the prosecution. He admits that he was in Tennessee in the latter part of the 70's, and served a term in the penitentiary at Nashville, beginning in 1879 and ending in 1889. But he claims that he was convicted and sentenced under the name of Allen Lewis, but admits that he was known in the prison as "Rickety Dan," and assumed the name of Benton when he was released. In an early stage of the trial two witnesses who were officials of the Nashville penitentiary at the time defendant was a convict there swore that he was admitted under the name of Daniel Benton. This contradiction may be explained by the statement of the claimant, not disproved, that he was known by many names and aliases.

The story of the claimant as told in his affidavit brings to the front the theory advanced by many of Newby's old army comrades who firmly believe in his identity. Their theory is that Daniel Benton disappeared from his old haunts in the latter years of the war. How or why they do not attempt to explain, but contend that sudden disappearances in the disturbed districts of the South in those days were so frequent as to cause little comment. The disappearance of Benton, it will be recalled, is borne out by the evidence of Government witnesses, who swore that they lost track of him for a period of five or six years and that he was not again seen in Tennessee until some time in the 70s. Here, Newby's comrades say is the solution of the riddle. It was William Newby and not Daniel Benton who came to Tennessee. He looked like "Rickety Dan," and Benton's acquaintances believed he was Benton; and the Shiloh soldier, in keeping with his habit of giving himself a new name at each stopping place, accepted Daniel Benton as his rightful title. This they assert, was the beginning of the complication.

ONE CONTROVERSY CLOSED.

One feature of the case which it was thought when the trial began would tell strongly against the claimant, was the testimony of witnesses for the government, who stated positively that William Newby, when they knew him before the war, had light hair, light complexion and blue eyes. It was apparent to every one who even glanced at the gray-haired and swarthy claimant that he could never at any period of his life have answered to this description. One of Newby's brothers, Pressly, who rejects the defendant's claim of kindred, swore that his brother William had very light hair and blue eyes. But the books of the War department, describing Newby as the mustering officer pictured him in his record at the date of his enlistment, Aug. 8, 1861, show that he had dark hair, dark complexion and gray eyes. This important bit of evidence, brought in at the close of the trial and, strangely enough, by the government's attorneys, knocked out one prop of the prosecution and added weight to the claims of the defendant.

WAS MORRIS KILLED?

The defense has endeavored to prove that a mistake was made by the men who buried the dead at Shiloh; that they mistook the body of Hiram Morris, who bore some resemblance to Newby, for that of the defendant.

It was shown by the testimony of several members of the 40th Illinois Regiment, to which Newby and Morris belonged, that Morris was reported missing after the battle in which Newby was shot, and that to the best of their recollection he was never seen afterwards. Morris, they said, may have been killed at Shiloh and the body put in the trenches under the impression that it was Newby's.

But the regimental records, submitted in evidence last evening, show that Hiram Morris was discharged from the army for disability one year after the battle of Shiloh.

The jury is above the average. They are drawn from various parts of the state: J. C. Kreuter, Brooklyn, Schuyler county; George Brown, DeLand, Piatt county; John Lowery, Loami; John M. Henny, Springfield; John Eastin, Athens; John R. Thompson, St. Johns, Vermillion county; J. W. Hartwell, Marion, Williamson county; C. W. Hanson, Martinsville, Clark county; George W. Winchester, Thomasboro, Champaign county; Alexander Howard, Bluford Graves, Springfield; Joseph Rogers, Morns, McLean county.

Notice.

On and after Monday, July 24th, all passengers going east via Vandalia must go to the Union depot to take train, as passenger trains will not stop at Main street crossing after that date.

A. G. BOWER, Agent.

PERSONAL MENTION.

C. S. Needham is in Chicago to-day.

Ad. Breck Irwin has gone to Chicago.

Dr Reid is in Casner to-day on business.

Mrs. I. N. Coltrin has returned from Chicago.

Miss Nets Clark arrived home to-day from Chicago

Frank Friend, is in Hannibal, Mo., on Wabash business.

Mrs. T. B. Spalding returned from Upper Alton to-day.

Mr and Mrs. C. M. Lytle are visiting relatives in Boston, Ill.

Mrs. S. W. Johns arrived home this afternoon from Chicago.

Al. Aberdeen has returned to Chicago, after a visit with Decatur friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Allison Bernard have returned home from their bridal tour.

Claude Bury and Elmer Smick left today for Moroa to visit over Sunday.

Mrs. R P. Lytle and daughter, Miss Edith, have returned from Chicago.

Charles Pope, W. A. Boettger and Ike Shoemaker will leave to-night for Custer Park.

Dr. Fithian, the local Wabash surgeon, is confined to his room with a sprained ankle.

Mrs. Susan Keister of this city accompanied her son, Julius Keister, to Chicago to-day.

Miss Stella Durning, of Mt. Zion, is in the city visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Nicholson.

W R McMasters and C. W. Cassell left to-day for Meredosia on a fishing excursion.

Mrs. Dr. Vandervoort, of Bloomington, is in the city visiting her brother, Stephen Morehouse.

Mrs. C. R. Briggs left to-day for Chicago and will also visit in Wisconsin before returning.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Hanes and son, Chester, left to-day for Chicago to attend the World's Fair.

Frank Patterson has gone to Cleveland, Ohio, on a visit. Mrs. Patterson is visiting relatives in Mason, Ohio.

William Dodson, who recently returned from the World's Fair, resumed his position to-day as mail transfer clerk at the depot.

E. E. Wangelin, of Belleville, arrived in the city last evening to visit his family, who are visiting Major Geo R Steele and family.

Mrs. R. G. Sollars, Mr. and Mrs. C. H Ward and Mrs. Nettie Crosier arrived from Chicago this morning after a visit to the fair.

Rev. W. H. Penhallegon will drive to Maroa to-morrow afternoon and will preach for Mr. Gibson in the Presbyterian church in the evening.

C. A. Pollock will leave to-morrow for Peru, Ind. On his return Monday he will be accompanied by his wife and son, Karl, who have been visiting there for the past few days.

F. W. Smith, of Omaha, Neb., who has been in the city visiting his family, will leave Monday for Topeka, Kan., through which state he will travel for a wholesale boot and shoe house.

Mrs. B. M. Harper, of Springfield, Ill., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. M. F. Mette. Mrs. Harper will take charge of the household while M. F. Mette and wife attend the World's Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Einstein and daughter, Mrs. J. W. Graham, of Louisville, Ky., will leave to-night for Chicago to visit the World's Fair. They will be joined in Chicago by Mr. Graham.

Springfield *News*: Bishop and Mrs. George F. Seymour left this morning via the O. and M. for Sewanee, Tenn., where they will attend the consecration of Rev. Dr. Gailor, who will be made suffragan bishop of Nashville.

City Clerk Shelley, wife and son, and Ald. and Mrs. W. Stewart will leave for Chicago to-night. Mr. Shelley will be gone a week or longer at the World's Fair. He left for Jacksonville to-day to attend the Secretaries' convention and incidentally buy a few hundred dozen boxes of cigars and will buy a few hundred dozen handkerchiefs while there.

WALL PAPER and window shades at Conklin & Housum's, Post Office Block.

New Time Card for the Vandalia Line.

The Vandalia line will change time July 24. The most important change will be in trains 3 and 4 between Terre Haute and Decatur and 5 and 6 between Decatur and Peoria. These trains on the new card will be made strictly passenger trains and no freight cars will be handled as heretofore. No. 79 will leave Decatur for Peoria at 7:15 a. m. and No. 80 will return leaving Peoria at 4 p. m., arriving at Decatur at 7:15 instead of 9 o'clock as formerly. There will be no change in the time of passenger trains No. 1, 2, 3, and 4, with the exception of train No. 3 which will leave Terre Haute at 3 25 p. m. and will arrive at Decatur at 7:30 p. m., instead of 7:0[illegible] p. m. The numbers of passenger trains have been changed as follows: Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6, will be Nos. 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, and 80. Mr. T. Peniwell has been appointed city ticket agent for the Vandalia line with office at his old stand in the Western Union Telegraph office. He will have a complete stock of tickets for all points.

Par Excellence.

Horace, the poet *par excellence* of the Augustan age of Rome, whose masterpieces in grace and delicacy have been more read, more imitated, and have had more commentators than the writings of any other Latin author, was born at Venusia, December 8, 65 B. C. Great excellence is always imitated. Many tailoring establishments have accordingly attempted to turn out as matchless work as Ed. Deez & Son, the Merchant street tailors.

This Points a Moral.

BEATRICE, Neb., July 21.—On Thursday last G. W. Boydston, a farmer of this county, came to Beatrice and on account of the general craze drew from the bank $1,200 in cash. He took the money home and hid it in the house, where he thought it was safe. To-day he was in town and reported that the whole amount had been stolen during the momentary absence of the family from the house. He says he will take his chances in the banks in the future.

3 Cents.

Get some of those sauce dishes, mugs and other articles at the above price.

E. D. BARTHOLOMEW.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

The REPUBLICAN is indebted to J. T. Roberts dealer in grain, provisions and stocks, with correspondents in Chicago, New York, Minneapolis and St. Louis, for the following F. G. Logan & Co.'s market letter received over the Roberts private wire; also market quotations

CHICAGO, Ill., July 22, 1893

Articles.	Opening.	High'st	Lowest	Closing
WHEAT—				
July	66⅝	66½	65⅞	66
Sep	72⅞	73	72⅝	72⅞
Dec				
CORN—				
July				39⅝
Sep	38⅞	39⅞	38⅞	39⅞
May	39⅝	39⅝	39⅝	39⅝
OATS—				
July				27⅞
Sept	24⅝	24⅝	24⅝	24⅝
May	26⅝	26⅝	26⅝	26⅝
PORK—				
July				19 77
Sep				20 00
LARD—				
July	10 20	10 20	9 95	9 95
Oct				9 95
RIBS—				
July				
Sep	8 15			

TO-DAY'S RECEIPTS

Wheat, all grades, 86 Cars
Corn, all grades, 439 Cars
Oats, all grades, 202 Cars

LIVE STOCK [illegible]

Hogs 8,000, 5c to 10c higher [illegible] 300. Quality good.

Pork on Sept. [illegible]
Calls [illegible]
Pork " Sept [illegible]
Calls " [illegible]

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS

Wheat, 140 Cars
Hogs 20,000

The wheat mar[illegible] opening until the [illegible] as low as 65⅝, [illegible] reports we get [illegible] Corn seems [illegible] [illegible] are disposed [illegible]

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